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BRITISH GOVERNMENT SHOULD CONSIDER PUTTING MORE PRESSURE ON JAPAN

Premier's Complacency In Reference To Far East Is Deplored

London, November 3. THE "FINANCIAL TIMES" DEPLORES THE COMPLACENCY of the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain's reference to the Far East in the House of Commons on November 1, especially so soon after the unusually strongly worded Note by Washington to Japan. The British Government never made a general demarche of this nature.

The failure of Britain and America to co-operate in the Far East has frequently been a matter for surprised comment.

The "Financial Times" recalls the Japanese Ambassador to Italy, Mr. Shiratori's recent boast that British pre-eminence in China will end when the new China created by Japan becomes a second Manchukuo.

"This evidently is a genuine expression of the wishes of those controlling Japan and we know from past experience that totalitarian countries are capable of defying a good many nineteenth-century laws concerning the supply of capital," says the paper.

"The whole subject deserves much more thorough discussion

than has yet been received in this country and the British Government should consider effective means at our disposal for putting more pressure on Japan than the polite interchange of opinion which for some months has been going on between the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, and the Japanese Foreign Office," the paper concludes.—Reuter.

Japan Wants Warm Covering For Cold Financial Weather

Shanghai, November 3. THE statement of the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons on Tuesday, in which he declared that Mr. Clement Attlee was "too gloomy" over the future of British trade in China and emphasised that after the war was over Japan would need Britain's financial help, is caustically taken to task by the local American newspaper "Shanghai Evening Post and Mercury."

After outlining some of the most glaring examples of Japanese interference with Britain's trade in China in a leader, to-day, the paper declares that "his withers" are not wrung by what has been happening thus far to British trade interests and personnel in Japanese administered China.

Mr. Chamberlain, the paper continues, hopefully chirps his prayerful anticipation that Japan will want some monetary favours from Britain. This expectation will certainly be fully realised.

Japan does not only want to flay the Lion but to utilise its help to establish a warm covering in the cold financial weather to come.

The smug anticipation in good times to come finds little support from any informed Britons on the spot.

What Japan wants ultimate—

FRIENDSHIP TREATY

Ankara, Nov. 3. A friendship Treaty between Hungary and Iraq was signed yesterday evening by the Iraqi and Hungarian Ministers in the Iraqi legation.—Transocean.

POPULATION INCREASE

Budapest, Nov. 3. The decision of the Vienna Committee of arbitration has increased the Hungarian population by 1,084,000 and the territory by 12,400 square kilometres.—Transocean.

Lingnan Students Will Resume Classes In H.K.

ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED with the Hongkong University whereby the Lingnan University of Canton will resume classes in Hongkong on November 12.

Students are requested to register on that afternoon at the office, which will be established in the administrative block of the University, and regular classes will be held daily from 5.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. for members of the College of Arts, College of Engineering and a few departments of the College of Natural Sciences.

The problem of dormitories for the students is not likely to prove serious as the families of most of the students are in Hongkong.

An experimental farm for the College of Agriculture is being sought in the New Territories.

AIR AGREEMENT

Subsidy To Imperial Airways

London, Nov. 3. Imperial Airways and the Air Ministry have come to an agreement regarding a subsidy to the Company for carrying new unscheduled mail service between Bangkok and Hongkong.

The maximum subsidy will be £56,000 of which the Hongkong Government will contribute £12,000 and £5,000 each will be paid by the Governments of the Straits Settlements and Malaya.—Reuter.

SESSIONS TRIAL FOR GUNNERS

Kennedy Town Robbery

Gunnery John Thomas Phelan and Frederick Dennis Hamer, Royal Artillery, were committed by Mr. H. R. Butters at Central Magistracy yesterday to stand their trials at the Criminal Sessions on a charge of robbery.

Lower court proceedings had an unusual conclusion when Phelan, after having been cautioned, replied in answer to His Worship's question whether he had anything to say: "I am guilty of the charge."

Phelan also asked to be remanded in military custody, complaining that he had neither sufficient food nor facilities in shaving in prison. This was refused. His Worship ascertaining from the prosecuting officer that remand prisoners could have their food sent in.

Detective-Sergeant J. Allen, prosecuting, stated that complainant in the charge was one Leung Ting. (Continued on Back Page)

GIRL FOUND

Miss Marie Carmichael, 18, who was reported missing from her home, 55 Jubilee Building, Shamshui, has been found.

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Sir Archibald Clark Kerr

IMPORTANT TALKS IN KUNMING

Kunming, Nov. 3. It is understood that a conversation of a highly important nature took place between the British Ambassador to China, Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, and General Liang Yun, Governor of Yunnan, when the Ambassador passed through Kunming on November 1.

Sir Archibald Clark Kerr also had an important talk with the Head of the Provincial Government Bank.

The British Ambassador, who was accompanied by his Secretary, Mr. J. G. Taborin, and Colonel Speed, was warmly welcomed by the local Chinese authorities on arrival.—Reuter.

CHAMBERLAIN INDISPOSED

Unable To Attend Commons' Debate

LABOUR MOTION ON AIR DEFENCE

London, Nov. 3. Owing to slight indisposition, the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, was unable to be present in the House of Commons this afternoon when the Labour Opposition moved that the House express its grave concern at the admitted unpreparedness to protect the civilian population when the country was brought to the brink of war.

The Government will move an amendment in which it notes the existing deficiencies and welcomes the Government's decision to entrust the responsibility for the system to a special Minister; also declares approval of the Government's determination to complete with utmost speed measures necessary to provide for the country's needs.

Sir John Anderson, Lord Privy Seal, who is the special Minister, will make his debut as a Cabinet member in the course of the debate.—Reuter.

SEARCH FOR HERRING SHOALS OFF SHETLANDS

London, Nov. 3. Detailed reports of an experiment in searching for herring shoals from the air recently carried out off the Shetlands have been received by the Herring Industry Board. The results are so encouraging that the Board will consider the possibility of assisting further tests.—British Wireless.

MR. JUSTICE LINDELL AND FAMILY



THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE R. E. LINDELL, photographed outside his Chambers at the Supreme Court, with his wife and daughter, Miss H. M. Lindell. Miss Lindell only arrived from home last week. Mr. Justice Lindell going to Singapore to meet her. (Photo, Z. Z. Chang)

"THIS'LL JUST FALL INTO MY HANDS TOO!"



U.S. To Spend \$42,000,000 On 3 Battleships

Washington, Nov. 3. The United States Navy Department is putting out tenders for the construction of three new \$14,000-ton battleships at an estimated average cost of \$14,000,000 each.

The Navy Department will spend a further \$3,000,000 on each vessel for guns, armour plates and other equipment.—Reuter.

AUSTRALIAN CENSURE VOTE DEFEATED

Canberra, Nov. 3. In the Australian House of Representatives the Labour Party's vote of censure was defeated by 41 votes to 28. The Opposition attacked the Government's defence policy declaring it was weak and vague.

Mr. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister of Australia, replying said that the Government will maintain its present method of voluntary assistance to the defence scheme.—Reuter.

MARSHAL LI CHAI-SUM TO COMMAND TROOPS IN KWANGTUNG

Chinese, On West River, Preparing To Launch Counter-Attack

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

Yungyuan, November 2. CHINESE TROOPS ARE REPORTED TO BE CONCENTRATED on the West River and North River ready to launch a counter-attack on the Japanese forces. General Yu Hon-mou, Commander-in-chief of the Provincial forces, is located at a base about 60 miles from Canton.

The brigade under Major-General Chen Min-wu, is being replaced following a heavy engagement with the enemy in Tsung-shing. The brigade was stationed at Fatsan and rushed to the East River Valley at short notice.

Japanese troops are pushing northward from Chungking and Fayuan, along the east of the Canton-Hankow Railway. The Central authorities are paying great attention to the military situation in Kwangtung. The Japanese advance to the west along the West River seems to have slackened, as they are no farther than Samshul. Crack Chinese units are located at Dowshing, 30 miles west of Samshul.

It is again reported that Marshal LI CHAI-SUM, who paid an official visit to Hongkong in 1927 in his capacity as Head of the Kwangtung Government, has been appointed to command troops in Kwangtung and Kwangsi. He was last heard of in Kwangsi and will be in this province shortly. Though a native of Kwangsi, many of the divisional commanders here and others at the Yangtze front served under Marshal Li during the Northern expedition. He is held in high esteem by foreigners in South China.

THE DOLLAR

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London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent).

London, Nov. 3.

London silver prices to-day were up 1/8 for Spot and 1/16 for Forward.

Nov. 2 Nov. 3

Spot.....19-1/2 19-5/8

Forward.....19-1/4 19-5/16

PRINCE KONOYE'S BROADCAST

Foreign Powers' Understanding

Tokyo, Nov. 3. The Japanese Prime Minister, Prince Konoze, emphasised in a broadcast this morning that foreign Powers should have a clear understanding of the new situation unfolding in East Asia.

After referring to the "victimisation" of China through imperialism, the ambitions of foreign Powers in the past, Prince Konoze declared that Japan realised the "necessity for fundamentally revising the new situation hereafter."

Prince Konoze added that Japan had no intention of rejecting co-operation with foreign Powers or injuring their legitimate rights and interests in China.—Reuter.

SETTLEMENT FOR REFUGEES

Kunming, Nov. 3. A plan for settling 10,000 refugees in southern Yunnan will be investigated by a party including medical officers and members of the staff of the Associated Universities. The party will leave shortly on a tour of investigation.—Reuter.



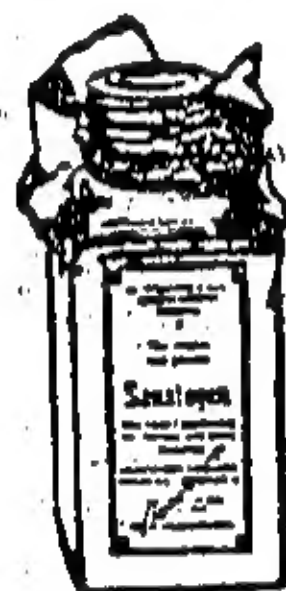
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THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Interesting Talk On Shintoism

At the meeting of the Manuk Lodge of the Theosophical Society last evening, Mr. D. O. Silva gave an interesting lecture on Shintoism.

Shinto, or Shintoism, the so-called national religion of Japan, with approximately 100,000 shrines, divided into 10 sects counting 20 million or more adherents served by 16,000 shrine attendants, dates from the dawn of Japanese history and is intimately associated with the mythology of the race.

Shinto is not a religion, since it has no dogmas, no ethical code, and no sacred book. The absence of a code of morals is accounted for by the innate perfection of the Japanese people, who having descended from the kami (gods), have no evil inclinations, such as Occidentals have, to overcome, and whose manners and customs need no reform. Since there is no doctrinal system, the faith does not concern itself about a future state. The precepts of the different sects, which differ only in a few details of ceremony, are: "Follow the impulse of your nature and obey your Emperor."

Shintoism aims at the happiness of earthly life, and assumes that the souls of the departed can essentially aid in securing it. They are conceived, therefore, to be present and summoned by those who come to them, by clapping hands, a bell, a drum, etc.

NO SAINTS

The Shinto gods are by no means the pure and exalted forms which Buddhism presents to us, no saints through the overcoming of sensual pleasure, but affected by all human feelings and weaknesses, and taking pleasure in everything that adds enjoyment and amusement to existence.

Accordingly their worshippers seek to delight them on their festivals, not only with meat and drink, but also by theatrical productions, pantomimes, and so on, and do not think it objectionable that streets leading to certain of their shrines contain houses dedicated to the worship of Aphrodite. Of the servants of the kami, purity of the body is required rather than purity of the heart.

The Shinto Kannushi do not shave their heads, as the Buddhist bonzes do, and only wear special dress when exercising their office. They neither practice celibacy nor have monasteries. Shinto worship has an elaborate ritual and numerous rules as to purification. From the earliest period the cult exacted scrupulous cleanliness—indeed, we might say it regarded physical impurity as identical with moral impurity, and intolerable to the gods.

It has always been a religion of ablutions. The Japanese love of cleanliness has been maintained, and was probably initiated, by their religion. The most important of all Shinto ceremonies is the ceremony of purification, o-harae, as it is called or the casting out of evils.

All the deities confer prosperity, avert sickness, cure sterility, bestow literary talents, endow the pusillanimous with prowess, and so on.

THEFT OF WATCHES

Sentences of three months' and six months' hard labour, respectively, were passed on Chan Siu-ye, 25, and Lam Chuen, 24, both unemployed, when they were convicted before Mr. R. Edwards at Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of larceny of 12 wrist watches valued at \$75, property of the Central Watch Company.

Jewellery to the value of \$923 was reported stolen from her rooms at St. Paul's Hotel by Mrs. Louis.

GENERAL

"NOTHING BUT CAMOUFLAGED PROSTITUTION"

Magistrate's Comment On Escort Bureaux

"It is nothing but camouflaged prostitution. From the evidence of one of the girls, who admitted she has practised prostitution while working as a guide, the registration of these escort bureaux with the S.C.A. seems to me to be a form of tolerated prostitution."

These remarks were made by Mr. H. R. Butters, Senior Magistrate, at the Central Magistracy yesterday during the continuation of the case in which two Chinese women, Chu Po-chu, 30, and Chau Lo-sam, are charged with trafficking in women and girls, harbouring them and exercising control over prostitutes. The case was adjourned till this afternoon.

During the hearing, Miss P. Harrop, Lady Assistant to the Secretary of Chinese Affairs, stated that the bureaux were registered with the S.C.A. as also were the girls employed by them.

The girls, who were described as guides, or escorts, were taken out at the rate of \$1 an hour, half going to the proprietor and half to the individual girl.

NO PROOF

Miss Harrop agreed with His Worship that employees of these bureaux were sent for by telephone and met their customers in hotels, but the S.C.A. have failed so far to prove that prostitution was carried on in these establishments.

His Worship: I fail to see how girls, such as those in this case, who have been in the Colony for only a short while, can act as guides in the proper sense. The girls have admitted they were registered as prostitutes in Swatow by the defendants. On coming to Hongkong, and learning that prostitution is prohibited here, they have taken up work as guides in the escort bureaux. It is nothing but camouflaged prostitution."

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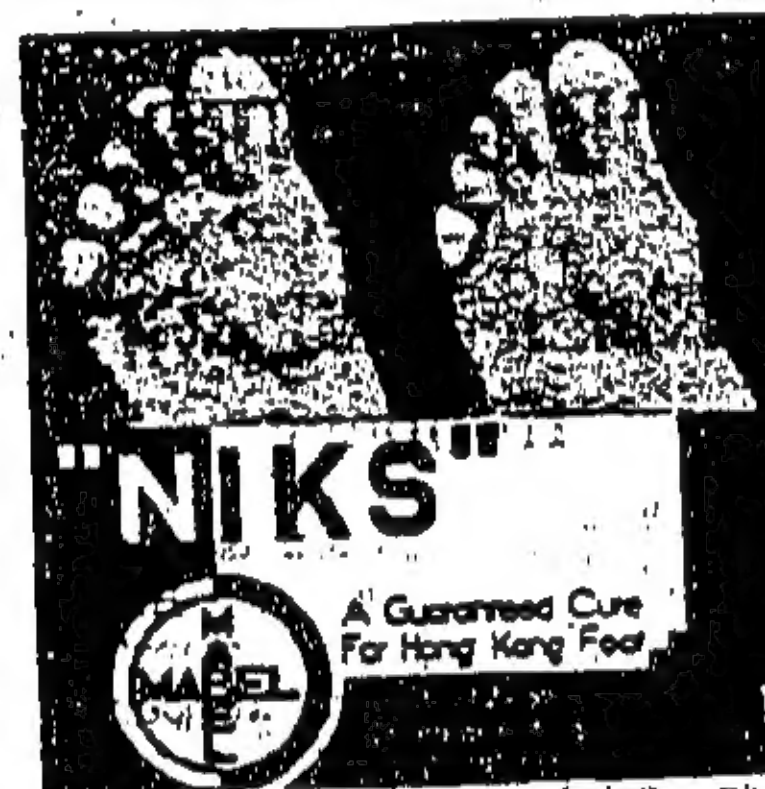
Further contributions "will be gratefully received by W. J. Cole, Acting Secretary, Earl Haig's Fund, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Bldg. Cheques should be made payable to Thomson & Co. and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

Another remand was ordered by Mr. H. R. Butters at Central Magistracy yesterday in the case in which Ho Ping-nam, 27-year-old unemployed, is charged with several larcenies from tramcars.

AMAH STEALS FROM MISTRESS

Sentence of three months' imprisonment with hard labour was passed by Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday on a 34-year-old amah, Ng Lin-ho, who pleaded guilty to larceny of a suitcase, containing money and jewellery to a total value of \$1,264, from her mistress, Lau Sze-mul, 29, of No. 365, Shanghai Street.

Charges of receiving stolen property against Chan Luk, 44, an amah employed next door, were withdrawn.



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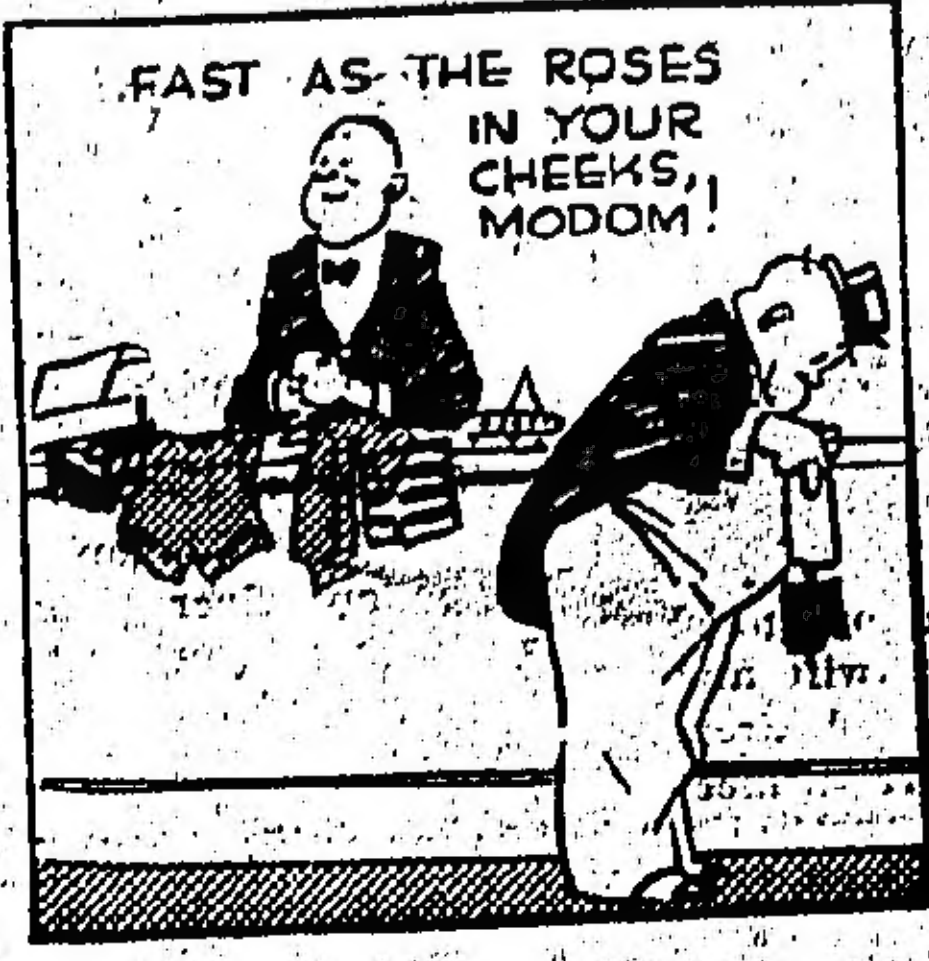
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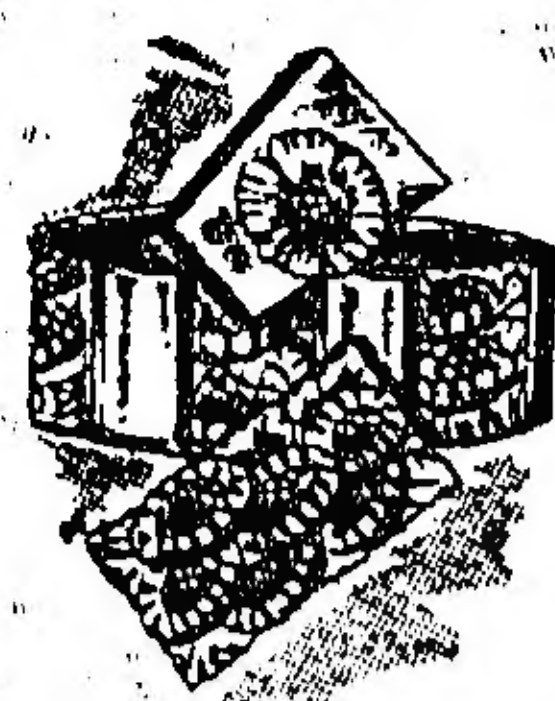
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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

A MOTHER is very worried about her 15-year-old son, she knows he is a good boy but he insists upon remaining out of the house each night, until after 11 p.m. and later. She asks for advice.

Fifteen is too young to be out on the streets each night and you and your husband are responsible if you permit this state of affairs. Even good boys can get into trouble. Try and interest him in a pastime which keeps him in. Provide amusement at home for him. Do not nag, but point out the injury to his health by late hours, as well as the time he is wasting.

Instructive reading, writing, games, a certain hobby when he is older he will wish for the free hours that he throws away. Have your husband give the lad a good talking to; it is the father's place to take action in this instance.

A STENOGRAPHER writes of a man in her office suggesting a dinner invitation, thus far she has not had to make a definite answer, but wishes to know what to say when the point actually arises.

In the first place you know that man and I don't. But remember that such an invitation is not that of merely two workers together sharing a meal at the end of an unexpectedly long day. If that were all there were to it there is no reason why you shouldn't.

But from what you say there will be premeditation behind the invitation. What is at the back of the invitation? And do you want to destroy the detachment with which you can do his work, as well as that of any of the other men? If you will answer these questions honestly to yourself there will be no doubt as to your answer to the invitation when it comes.

A SISTER inquires if it is correct for her to be the attendant of her future sister-in-law, especially as her brother has always promised she should be. There are several brothers and sisters in the bride's family?

Naturally you would be disappointed in this case. There is no reason why the groom's sister should not be a bridesmaid, at her brother's wedding. In fact, when the bridegroom has a sister she should be included in the wedding party out of courtesy to him, if for no other reason. However, there is nothing you or anyone else can do if the bride insists on having her sisters for her attendants.

ETIQUETTE wishes to be informed about restaurant dining. How do the man and woman generally sit? If two couples at a hotel are placed at a table on the edge of the dance floor where does the woman sit?

Most tables for two require the escort and the lady to sit opposite each other. If they are seated at a large table enough for four, then the woman should be given the chair with the best view and the man should sit at the woman's left. When the tables are placed diagonally with one corner nearest the dance floor, the two women should be seated facing toward the dancing, while the men sit with their backs to it.

PUZZLED does not know exactly how to costume herself in the evening. On several occasions gentlemen have invited her to dances and they have arrived at her home in business suits, while she was attired in a dinner or party frock.

When you receive an engagement, either verbally or written, it is your place to inquire whether the guests invited are "dressing." This word when used in such a sense signifies dinner or formal attire, your to-be escort will inform you of the state of attire and, if not, he will find out for you. When accepting an invitation from a woman you are correct to ask her the same question.

Though it is done, women wearing dinner gowns and men in business suits, especially here in the Colony, it is not a correct practice. If a business suit is worn by your escort, this should mean that you wear a short frock on the afternoon order in, silk or fairly dressy material.

A Man wishes to give a birthday gift to a woman he knows only slightly. He asks if this is proper and what he could send her?

It is not improper to send the lady a gift on her birthday, though you have only known her for several months. However, do not make it an expensive gift. You may find that she would feel under obligation to you.

A book, flowers, candy, a small charm for her charm bracelet or an inexpensive art study; any of these, or similar gifts, would be very welcome and not out of place.

(Each week in this column, FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the Daily Press.)

BELOW THE KNEES

Select The Daring And Wear The New Shoes

HEALTH AND YOUR LEGS

FEET, FEET, FEET, marching up and down the Colony streets, dancing on the polished ballroom floors, on display when sitting in motor car, bus, sofa or ferry boat.

Your friends and enemies have the habit of spotting your feet, ankles and legs the very first glance. And what does your mirror tell you about yours?

Shoes have new and interesting features this season. There are half-an-inch thick soles, novel heel treatments, high and low in cut of vamps, many are coloured, in sober dark leathers, deep wine reds, dark plums, dark blue and browns with a golden glow. Bright pipings sparkle everywhere. Shoes can improve your feet or make them horrible implements.

The tall or short lady can find shoes which will help her in the height problem. You can make your foot slim by pulling on a glove-like pump of kid or Lastex suede which feels like tissue paper and clings to your foot.

In the sport costume have the clumpy, square appearance, which is very popular this winter, when you wear the wedge sole, scooped out. For week-ends in the country hellish moccasins are comfortable and assure firm footing.

You will be right up in the fashion of feet if you select the daring and wear the new shoes.

PLENTY OF COLOUR

"Harpers" has devoted several pages in a recent issue to outstanding smart and clever footwear using plenty of colour which blend with various winter costumes.

Shoes are just half of the below the knee picture. Legs are the other half and just as important. Please do something about the hair on your legs if you are not a twice-weekly leg shaver. Keep your legs free of hair or lacerations, have them slick and smooth. Our forefathers may have needed hairy legs but we certainly do not these days. Just several swipes of the razor, twice a week and your limbs are neat and clean. Then your new hose will look dashing and produce interesting legs.

One fourth of you is legs; so take a look in the mirror when wearing a suit. You take infinite care of your hands, nails and complexion, comparatively infinitesimal areas, yet expect your legs to just get along as best they can. When you are down to the only pair of hose you have, out you go and invest in a dozen pairs of stockings at once; perhaps, the wrong colour. Do you stop to consider the colour of your ensembles, tone of your skin or the fashion news of the season?

FEW FLARING

The skirts this year are short and quite a few flaring, take care. This gives legs the spotlights. Today you cannot say one colour hose goes with everything. The bright reds take one shade of stocking, your plum shade another. The colours are powdery and soft. All are basically beige and all are incredibly thin.

New tricks in stockings this year, one the sun-dye process that keeps colours clear under man-made light as well as the great outdoors; a love elasticity that prevents wrinkling is another. And a special construction to make heels cling, also the hairline seams to give length and slimmess.

Your stockings should blend with your dress and harmonise with your shoes. One strong point, and do not forget it when purchasing hose; your colours must be ladylike and subtle.

While on the subject of feet and legs may we suggest you become a monthly customer for the chiropodist? You will notice the pleasure of walking and dancing and keeping your feet healthy. Keep your heel tabs built up at all times, run-over heels not only look horrible but are injurious to your health.

And one more bit of advice—knees are no new subject to men or women, so cover them up. It is only one girl in million who can truly say, "I know I have good-looking knees!"

How Does It Stay There?



How the strapless coverage of this gown remained in position was no mystery to the folk who saw it at Derek Sheffington's autumn dress show in London. They knew that concealed stiffening did the trick. But what did intrigue them was: "How does that flower on her shoulder stay put?" The answer is... adhesive tape.

Round The Shops

Fifty-two days! Then you will find yourselves wishing everyone a "Very Merry Christmas!" But, in the meantime, there are parties and more parties with plenty of birthdays and anniversaries thrown in. All this means that each of you have plenty of shopping to do. Have courage, the stores are just waiting to serve you!

Evening Finery

No decision on the new evening dress for the special ball or dinner engagement? Step into Lane Crawford's Gown, Salon. Satin, chiffon, taffeta, crepes, velvet, the new matelassé are styled into very chic evening gowns. Trims in flowers, rhinestones, sequins, spangles, beading, make the striking note and contrast in these creations.

While you are investigating the ready-to-wear, spot the very new compacts, wood, leather, enamel, polished steel; in flat, small, round, square styles. Very attractive, different and lovely for gifts. The new evening and dress vanities are works of art.

They are divided into various separate compartments, cigarette, notes, powder, rouge, lipstick, comb and money sections. The shapes are quite new and the lovely work on the polished steel is amazing in its novelty and cleverness. They are a bit expensive but well worth the price.

Sporty Knits

A two-piece knit suit is the "love" of our lives in the chilly weather. The new ones at Mrs. Willy's in Metropole Hotel Building, are very high style in creation and colour. You would not recognize the knit jerseys of older days, their colours and styles keeping along with the machine hand-made in appearance. Bolero jackets, or with buttons and slippers which have plain, pleated in front or flared skirts, have a third piece in a contrasting or blending sweater which makes a perfect looking suit and is serviceable.

New furs and evening gowns will be in shortly for this specialty shop.

The Unusual Accessories

The trifles which take our money, and which many times "just makes" the outfit and can be worn with several various costumes, are dear to all women's hearts.

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AS MAN TO MAN, AND A COMPARISON

NOT VERY FREQUENTLY do we dig up the male species for inspection or comparison on this page. However, a short bit of argument made us ponder over a new sidelight on the art of grooming. And we let you be the judge.

The long standing tradition is to the effect that, like cats, women are the fastidious sex. Because of the inherent structure of the feminine mind, supposedly, they have a nicer taste in the amenities of civilized existence, and because they have more time at their disposal for the purpose, the feminine person is more carefully gardened and garnished than that of the ramish and rufinly male.

Now, "Is dis a fact?"

Women, as a group, have more time to devote to perfecting their persons than men. This is probably true, but whether they put this asset to as profitable a use is open to question. Granted!

The hours spent by feminine supplicants, with cosmeticians, hairdressers, manicurists, pedicures, reducing agents, masseuses, dress-makers, hat designers and other beauty technicians, must be far in excess of those invested by the less-leisured male in barber shops, gymnasia, tailors and boot-makers, and yet the result is seldom apparent to the degree implied by the discrepancy in beauty minutes. In many cases here in Hongkong men are more chic than their wives or the ladies of their heart. True!

FOOTWEAR

What self-respecting man, for example, will appear under any

circumstances at all without his footwear properly cleaned and polished, and yet many women, whose shoes for the most part neither require nor would permit of daily shining by reason of their material and finish, roam the streets and haunt hotels in soiled, dusty and even downright damaged shoes.

A man changes his collar at the very least once a day, along with most of his other linen, and twice if he's going out in the evening. Yet the supposedly fastidious female will wear a white collar on a tailored dress, or even a suit blouse for a week before it occurs to her to consign it to the linen hamper.

A gentleman's hands are invariably as clean as soap and scrubbing brush can make them, most of the times, but either because such treatment is damaging to the lacquer on their nails or for some more occult reason, women of chic in other respects may not infrequently be discovered to have grubby fingers. Absolutely!

FIRST POINT

The first point in a man's normal daily routine is cropping his beard and that he repeats again while dressing for dinner, but everyone is familiar with the woman who neglects regularly to shave her legs with the result that her stockings have a reforested look for all the world like Birnam Wood coming to Dunsinane. Or, even worse, thinks no one will notice that so small underarm stubble when she's in evening or bathing clothes. Admitted!

The truth of the whole matter seems to be that, while nobody hesitates to call a man's attention to lapses of taste in his person or appearance, even women are reluctant to mention revolution. One of these days some youth around Hongkong upon meeting his girl for lunch at a hotel or club will not salute her with, "Dear, you look simply divine to-day." He will sternly admonish her, "You can go right home and wash your face, throw that last fortnight's pow in the dustbin, get a fresh pair of gloves and scrub your nails. Then I'll buy you some gin and spinach and not before." It is possible!

NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

SENIOR OFFICERS' COURSES
The following dates have been approved for senior officers' courses and for the staff course of 1939:—

Staff Course, Greenwich.—January 10 to December 15.
Technical Courses, Portsmouth.—January 9 to March 10; April 24 to June 23; August 14 to October 13; October 16 to December 15.
Senior Officers' War Courses, Greenwich.—March 13 to July 21; October 9 to February 16, 1940.
Tactical Courses, Portsmouth.—May 8 to July 21; September 25 to December 8.

The period from January 16 to March 24, which would normally have been occupied by the first Tactical Course of 1939, has been appropriated for the theoretical investigation of tactical and strategic problems at the Tactical School.

CAPTAIN C. E. S. FARRANT

Commander C. E. S. Farrant, who relinquished recently the command of the cruiser Dragon in reserve at the Nore, has been placed on the retired list with the rank of captain after 34 years in the Navy.

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Admiralty Fleet Orders issued on October 21 refer to a report received from the South America Division of the America and West Indies Station in which the Commander draws attention to the desirability of naval and Royal Marine personnel acquiring a knowledge of the Spanish language.

In view of the obvious advantage of a knowledge of local languages, their Lordships urge naval and marine officers on other stations to lose no opportunity of acquiring some conversational ability in the languages spoken.

Service conditions do not permit of intensive study, and for this reason the appointment of fully qualified interpreters is necessary, but the number of these is limited, and therefore the presence of personnel with a general knowledge of a language can prove extremely useful.

The fact that an officer has acquired some conversational ability in a language is to be specially noted in his reports.

ARMISTICE DAY POPPIES

Officers and ratings in uniform and off duty may wear the poppies which are to be sold for the benefit of ex-Service men and their dependents on November 11. For the purpose of this order the term "off duty" is to be interpreted so as to include all officers and men on board ship or in naval barracks who are not carrying out any specific duty.

ENTRY OF APPRENTICES

The next open competitive examination for the entry of artificer and air apprentices in the Royal Navy will be held during the third week in March next. Candidates must be between 15 and 16 years of age on May 1, 1939.

A limited number with Service claims who reach the qualifying standard will be nominated for entry by the Admiralty from a list recommended by commanders-in-chief and other senior officers; preference being given to orphans whose fathers have been killed in action or lost at sea on active service.

Recommendations must reach the Admiralty by January 1 next.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—
Cdr.—F. D. Morris, to Dauntless, in command (Oct. 19); A. O'Leary, to Carlisle, in command; the Hon. O. W. Cornwallis, to Cairo, in command (Oct. 20).

Instr. Cdr.—W. G. West, to President for crse. at R.N. College, Greenwich (Oct. 31).

Lt.-Cdr.—R. T. Gardiner, to Centurion (Oct. 24); J. D. Little (S/Ldr., R.A.F.), to Glorious (Nov. 1); N. de G. Waymouth, to Pembroke for Sig. School (Nov. 16); J. A. S. Brame, lent to R.A.N. (Dec. 17).

Payr. Lt.-Cdr.—K. L. Barrow, to President for crse. (Oct. 24).
Lt.—J. C. Stopford, to Victory for Sig. School (Nov. 21).

Lts. (F/O., R.A.F.)—P. E. O'Brien, J. A. Ievers, to Victory for crse. (Oct. 19 and 24 respectively); J. H. Dundas, to Courageous (Oct. 24).

Sub-Lts.—M. R. North (F/O., R.A.F.), to Courageous (Oct. 19); H. G. G. Ollivie, to Liverpool (Oct. 20); T. B. Winstanley (art.) to Beagle (Oct. 25).

Sub-Lt. (A.)—G. P. Hewson, to Repulse (Oct. 19).
Cd. Gunner (T)—W. J. G. E. Hayter, to Illustrious (Oct. 17).

Cd. Engr.—J. H. Harrison, to Aberdeen (Nov. 1).
Gunner.—J. Perks, to Redstart (Nov. 2).

Wt. Shipt.—W. G. Deer, to Pegasus (Oct. 20); F. L. Hore, to Emerald (Oct. 21).

Schoolmaster.—A. H. C. Brister, to Osprey (Oct. 20).

PROMOTION

Payr. Lt. (Retd.)—J. P. Canty, M.B.E., to rank of Payr. Lt.-Cdr. (retd.) (seny. Oct. 21).

THE ARMY

AFRICAN COLONIAL FORCES
A new appointment of Inspector-General of the African Colonial Forces has been created, and the holder of it is to be Major-General G. J. Giffard, C.B., D.S.O., who is Inspector-General of the Royal West African Frontier Force and the King's African Rifles.

His present staff—Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. A. Bishop, Major S. J. Cole, O.B.E., and Major J. D. Chalmers—will be Staff Officers, African Colonial Forces.

15TH BRIGADE STAFF

The staff of the 15th Infantry Brigade in Palestine will consist of Brigadier H. E. de R. Wetherall; Major M. B. Jennings, R.A., as Brigade Major on transfer from G.S.O.3 in Jerusalem; and Captain G. I. Malcolm, A. and S.H., as Staff Captain.

NEW BATTALION COMMANDERS

Lieutenant-Colonel L. Bootle-Wilbraham M.C., who has been promoted to that rank to command a battalion of the Coldstream Guards, mobilized with the Special Reserve and was adjutant of the 4th Battalion in France. He has been A.D.C. to the Viceroy and to the Governor of Madras.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Hayes, the new commander of the 2nd Battalion, The Royal Norfolk Regiment, at Gibraltar, has served since 1915, and was in Mesopotamia, Persia, and Russia. He has been on the War Office staff since 1934, and before then was Brigade Major of the 15th Infantry Brigade.

Lieutenant-Colonel N. McKimling, D.S.O., M.C., the new commander of the 2nd Battalion, The Black Watch, in Palestine, has been adjutant of the battalion and also adjutant of the Buffs Battalion. He was a G.S.O. in France, where he was wounded three times.

ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS

The War Office announces that Major T. M. Lawrie has been selected for command of the 4th/5th Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel J. D. Oatis, whose tenure expired recently.

APPOINTMENTS IN INDIA

Major G. Carr-White has been appointed to command Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (11th Frontier Force) in place of Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Garstin, M.C., retired.

Major G. R. Clarke has been appointed Commandant of the 3rd Battalion, 2nd Punjab Regiment, vice Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Radley, C.I.E., M.C.

Majors R. A. Slater, M.C., and D. McK. Kennelly, and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Fawcett, M.C., have been appointed second-in-command of the 10th Battalion, 2nd Punjab Regiment, 5th Royal Battalion, 5th Mahatta L.I., and 2nd Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles respectively.

RETIREMENTS

The retirement of the following officers has been notified at Army Headquarters in India:—Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Mackay, M.C., 7th Gurkha Rifles (Oct. 13); Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Meek, C.M.G., Supernumerary List (Oct. 7); Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Mockler, Supernumerary List (as from Sept. 11); Lieutenant-Colonel E. S. Goss, M.C., I.M.S. (Sept. 25); Colonel A.J. Cruickshank, D.S.O., R.E. (Sept. 27); and Major W. P. Osg, I.A.O.C. (Sept. 27).

LESSON DRAWN FROM CRISIS

"Words No Match For Pistols"

Gen. Sir Walter Kirke, Director-General of the Territorial Army, opening a drill hall at Middlesbrough recently, said that we had recently passed through some nerve-racking experiences, and many lessons for the future could already be clearly drawn.

"The first," he said, "is as old as history that 'Where the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered together'."

"When the tiger kills, the lesser carnivora are ready to snatch their bit, and the scramble going on for portions of Czechoslovakia shows what a calamity it would be for world peace if the idea got about that the British Empire could not protect its world-wide possessions."

"In such an event the problems of Czechoslovakia might be reproduced simultaneously on a far greater scale in every continent."

"A second lesson was that, when we are in a position of weakness, we are in a position of weakness."

"Good words and good intentions," he added, "are poor equipment with which to face loaded pistols. We must then be strong, and, rightly or wrongly, we depend on voluntary effort to make us so."

"To-day the door is open wide to everyone who wishes to do his or her bit. In fact, so many doors are open that there may be some uncertainty as to which should be entered."

"I will only say that the door labelled 'Territorial Army' is a very suitable one for any young man with good health and the right spirit."

"It is not only the anti-aircraft portion of the Territorial Army that requires such men. The Territorial Field Army must form the bulk of our effort on land."

"The third lesson is that the Territorial soldier can be relied upon to carry out any task allotted to him. The way in which officers and men came up to it at a few hours' notice was beyond all praise."

War Against Malaria

MODERN METHODS EMPLOYED

The conquest of the air, which has lately been developed to a remarkable extent, has accustomed us to the use of aeroplanes for the strangest kinds of merchandise. Nevertheless, the fact that thousands of fish are flown in aeroplanes is not yet common knowledge.

This novel method is used for a special—but certainly very important—purpose. Fish are carried by aeroplane to maintain the fight against one of the most dangerous species of insect in the world, the anophele, the transmitting agent of malaria. In view of the fact that the reports drawn up by numerous medical men state that this dangerous species multiplies in a catastrophic manner and is responsible for a terrible list of maladies that are very frequently fatal, no stone is left unturned to obtain as efficacious a result as possible in the fight against this insect.

GREAT CAMPAIGN

Special species of fish, that are known to be the best destroyers of mosquitoes, are collected in large light metal tanks. They are thus carried in aeroplanes specially built for the purpose, and discharged in the regions watered by the great African river, the Congo. A great campaign has been undertaken for the destruction of mosquitoes by releasing these fish in the waters of the Congo. The machines are already called "express planes for fish" and whole squadrons have already made several flights.

This is one of the most efficacious means of fighting malaria; but there is another that completes it perfectly. The specific remedy for malaria, quinine, in the form of a daily dose of six grains taken as a preventive measure, as prescribed by the Malaria Commission of the League of Nations, is already becoming general practice. Warfare is thus being waged on all fronts against the enemy of the public health, the anophele. This is a fight for a noble cause, the protection of humanity.

For treating cases of malaria, the Malaria Commission of the League of Nations prescribes a daily dose of 15 to 20 grains of quinine to be taken during five to seven days.

103 CHINESE PAPERS CLOSE DOWN

157 Films Censored In Shanghai

A total of 103 Chinese publications for which the Municipal Council had issued registration certificates had ceased publication last month, according to the report of the Commissioner of Police for September, says the "North China Daily News."

Dealing with the month's activities, the report states that 13 newspapers were warned by the Police for publishing incorrect reports or other objectionable articles.

The editor of a Chinese magazine was fined \$250 on September 22 at the Shanghai First Special District Court for publishing an indecent article.

Several copies of indecent books were seized during the month at three book stores and were ordered by the Court to be held by the Police pending action against the responsible persons.

During September, registration certificates were issued to 33 Chinese and 3 foreign publications. Up to the end of the month a total of 52 registration certificates had been issued to foreign publications and 278 to Chinese.

Of the latter number, 103 have since ceased publication.

FILM CENSORSHIPS

Regarding film censorship, 157 films comprising 31 feature productions, 118 short introductory films and eight newsreels were censored during September in various theatres in the Settlement and the French Concession.

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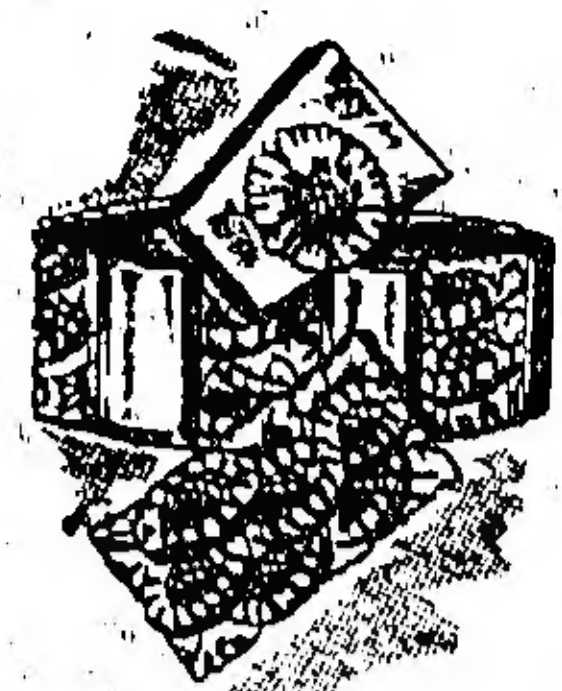
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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

A MOTHER is very worried about her 15-year-old son, she knows he is a good boy but he insists upon remaining out of the house each night until after 11 p.m. and later. She asks for advice.

Fifteen is too young to be out on the streets each night and you and your husband are responsible if you permit this state of affairs. Even good boys can get into trouble. Try and interest him in a pastime which keeps him in. Provide amusement at home for him. Do not nag, but point out the injury to his health by late hours, as well as the time he is wasting.

Instructive reading, writing, games, a certain hobby when he is older he will wish for the free hours that he throws away. Have your husband give the lad a good talking to; it is the father's place to take action in this instance.

A STENOGRAPHER writes of a man in her office suggesting a dinner invitation, thus far she has not had to make a definite answer, but wishes to know what to say when the point actually arises.

In the first place you know that man and I don't. But remember that such an invitation is not that of merely two workers together sharing a meal at the end of an unexpectedly long day. If that were all there were to it there is no reason why you shouldn't.

But from what you say there will be premeditation behind the invitation. What is at the back of the invitation? And do you want to destroy the detachment with which you can do his work, as well as that of any of the other men? If you will answer these questions honestly to yourself there will be no doubt as to your answer to the invitation, when it comes.

A SISTER inquires if it is correct for her to be the attendant of her future sister-in-law, especially as her brother has always promised she should be. There are several brothers and sisters in the bride's family?

Naturally you would be disappointed in this case. There is no reason why the groom's sister should not be a bridesmaid at her brother's wedding. In fact, when the bridegroom has a sister she should be included in the wedding party out of courtesy to him, if for no other reason. However, there is nothing you or anyone else can do if the bride insists on having her sisters for her attendants.

ETIQUETTE wishes to be informed about restaurant dining. How do the man and woman generally sit? If two couples at a hotel are placed at a table on the edge of the dance floor where does the woman sit?

Most tables for two require the escort and the lady to sit opposite each other. If they are seated at a large table enough for four, then the woman should be given the chair with the best view and the man should sit at the woman's left. When the tables are placed diagonally with one corner nearest the dance floor, the two women should be seated facing toward the dancing, while the men sit with their backs to it.

PUZZLED does not know exactly how to costume herself in the evening. On several occasions gentlemen have invited her to dances and they have arrived at her home in business suits, while she was attired in a dinner or party frock.

When you receive an engagement, either verbally or written, it is your place to inquire whether the guests invited are "dressing." This word when used in such a sense signifies dinner or formal attire; your to-be-escort will inform you of the state of attire and, if not, he will find out for you. When accepting an invitation from a woman you are correct to ask her the same question.

Though it is done, women wearing dinner gowns and men in business suits, especially here in the Colony, it is not a correct practice. If a business suit is worn by your escort, this should mean that you wear a short frock on the afternoon order in silk or fairly dressy material.

A Man wishes to give a birthday gift to a woman he knows only slightly. He asks if this is proper and what he could send her?

It is not improper to send the lady a gift on her birthday, though you have only known her for several months. However, do not make it an expensive gift. You may find that she would feel under obligation to you.

A book, flowers, candy, a small charm for her charm bracelet or an inexpensive art study; any of these, or similar gifts, would be very welcome and not out of place.

(Each week in this column, FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the Daily Press.)

BELOW THE KNEES Select The Daring And Wear The New Shoes

HEALTH AND YOUR LEGS

FEET, FEET, FEET, marching up and down the Colony streets, dancing on the polished ballroom floors, on display when sitting in motor car, bus, sofa or ferry boat.

Your friends and enemies have the habit of spotting your feet, ankles and legs the very first glance. And what does your mirror tell you about yours?

Shoes have new and interesting features this season. There are half-an-inch thick soles, novel heel treatments, high and low in cut of vamps, many are coloured, in sober dark leathers, deep wine reds, dark plums, dark blue and browns with a golden glow. Bright pipings sparkle everywhere. Shoes can improve your feet or make them horrible implements.

The tall or short lady can find shoes which will help her in the height problem. You can make your foot slim by pulling on a glove-like pump of kid or Latex suede which feels like tissue paper and clings to your foot.

In the sport costume have the clumpy, square appearance, which is very popular this winter, when you wear the wedge sole, scooped out. For week-ends in the country heeled moccasins are comfortable and assure firm footing.

You will be right up in the fashion of feet if you select the daring and wear the new shoes.

PLENTY OF COLOUR

"Harpers" has devoted several pages in a recent issue to outstanding smart and clever footwear using plenty of colour which blend with various winter costumes.

Shoes are just half of the below the knee picture. Legs are the other half and just as important. Please do something about the hair on your legs if you are not a twice-weekly leg shaver. Keep your legs free of hair or lacerations, have them slick and smooth. Our forefathers may have needed hairy legs but we certainly do not these days. Just several swipes of the razor twice a week and your limbs are neat and clean. Then your new hose will look dashing and produce interesting legs.

One fourth of you is legs; so take a look in the mirror when wearing

a suit. You take infinite care of your hands, nails and complexion, comparatively infinitesimal areas, yet expect your legs to just get along as best they can. When you are down to the only pair of hose you have, out you go and invest in a dozen pairs of stockings at once; perhaps, the wrong colour. Do you stop to consider the colour of your ensembles, tone of your skin or the fashion news of the season?

FEW FLARING

The skirts this year are short and quite a few flaring, take care. This gives legs the spotlights. Today you cannot say one colour hose goes with everything. The bright reds take one shade of stocking, your plum shade another. The colours are powdery and soft. All are basically beige and all are incredibly thin.

New tricks in stockings this year, one the sun-dye process that keeps colours clear under man-made light as well as the great outdoors; a love elasticity that prevents wrinkling is another. And a special construction to make heels cling, also the hairline seams to give length and slimmess.

Your stockings should blend with your dress and harmonise with your shoes. One strong point, and do not forget it when purchasing hose; your colours must be ladylike and subtle.

While on the subject of feet and legs may we suggest you become a monthly customer for the chiropodist? You will notice the pleasure of walking and dancing and keeping your feet healthy. Keep your feet built up at all times, run-over heels not only look horrible but are injurious to your health.

And one more bit of advice—knees are no new subject to men or women, so cover them up. It is only one girl in million who can truly say, "I know I have good-looking knees!"

How Does It Stay There?



How the strapless corsage of this gown remained in position was no mystery to the folk who saw it at Derek Sheffington's autumn dress show in London. They knew that concealed stiffening did the trick. But what did intrigue them was "How does that flower on her shoulder stay put?" The answer is... adhesive tape.

Round The Shops

Fifty-two days! Then you will find yourselves wishing everyone a "Very Merry Christmas!" But, in the meantime, there are parties and more parties with plenty of birthdays and anniversaries thrown in. All this means that each of you have plenty of shopping to do. Have courage, the stores are just waiting to serve you!

Evening Finery

No decision on the new evening dress for the special ball or dinner engagement? Step into Lane Crawford's Gown Salon. Satin, chiffon, taffeta, crepes, velvet, the new matelassée are styled into very chic evening gowns. Trims in flowers, rhinestones, sequins, spangles, beading, make the striking note and contrast in these creations.

While you are investigating the ready-to-wear, spot the very new compacts, wood, leather, enamel, polished steel; in flat, small, round, square styles. Very attractive, different and lovely for gifts. The new evening and dress vanities are works of art.

They are divided into various separate compartments, cigarette, notes, powder, rouge, lipstick, comb and money sections. The shapes are quite new and the lovely work on the polished steel is amazing in its novelty and cleverness. They are a bit expensive but well worth the price.

Sporty Knits

A two-piece knit suit is the "love" of our lives in the chilly weather. The new ones at Mrs. Willy's in Metropole Hotel Building, are very high style in creation and colour. You would not recognize the knit jerseys of older days, their colours and styles keep along with the machine hand-made in appearance. Bolero jackets, or with buttons and slippers which have plain, pleated in front or flared skirts, have a third piece in a contrasting or blending sweater which makes a perfect looking suit and is serviceable.

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The Unusual Accessories

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The new cigarette cases of glass and gold are quite exotic and the little snuff boxes of the same compound and style make lovely gifts. The new buckles and hat pins are quaint and attractive and give the necessary zip to a dress or suit picture.

Costume of Evening

Parties, parties, parties and you know perfectly well one evening gown cannot take on the whole winter dress picture job. Sleek, sophistication in black or colours, full skirted bouffant, rustling, notre, slinky satin or plain tailored gowns are on review in Excella's Dress Salon in Kowloon.

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AS MAN TO MAN, AND A COMPARISON

NOT VERY FREQUENTLY do we dig up the male species for inspection or comparison on this page. However, a short bit of argument made us ponder over a new sidelight on the art of grooming. And we let you be the judge.

The long standing tradition is to the effect that, like cats, women are the fastidious sex. Because of the inherent structure of the feminine mind, supposedly, they have a nicer taste in the amenities of civilized existence, and because they have more time at their disposal for the purpose, the feminine person is more carefully groomed and garnished than that of the raffish and rufianly male.

Now, "Is dis a fact?" Women, as a group, have more time to devote to perfecting their persons than men. This is probably true, but whether they put this asset to as profitable a use is open to question. Granted!

The hours spent by feminine supplicants with cosmeticians, hairdressers, manicurists, pedicures, reducing agents, masseuses, dressmakers, hat designers and other beauty technicians, must be far in excess of those invested by the less-leisured male in barber shops, gymnasiums, tailors and boot-makers, and yet the result is seldom apparent to the degree implied by the discrepancy in beauty minutes. In many cases here in Hongkong men are more chic than their wives or the ladies of their heart. True!

FOOTWEAR

What self-respecting man, for example, will appear under any

circumstances at all without his footwear properly cleaned and polished, and yet many women, whose shoes for the most part neither require nor would permit of daily shining by reason of their material and finish, roam the streets and haunt hotels in soiled, dusty and even downright damaged shoes.

A man changes his collar at the very least once a day, along with most of his other linen, and twice if he's going out in the evening. Yet the supposedly fastidious female will wear a white collar on a tailored dress, even a suit blouse for a week before it occurs to consign it to the linen hamper.

A gentleman's hands are invariably as clean as a soap and scrubbing brush can make them, most of the time, but either because such treatment is damaging to the lacquer on their nails or for some more occult reason, women of chic in other respects may not infrequently be discovered to have grubby fingers. Absolutely!

FIRST POINT

The first point in a man's normal daily routine is cropping his beard, and that he repeats again while dressing for dinner, but everyone is familiar with the woman who neglects regularly to shave her legs with the result that her stockings have a reforested look for all the world like Birnam Wood, coming to Dunsinane. Or, even worse, thinks no one will notice that so small underarm stubble when she's in evening or bathing clothes. Admitted!

The truth of the whole matter seems to be that, while nobody hesitates to call a man's attention to lapses of taste in his person or appearance, even women are reluctant to mention revolution. One of these days, some youth around Hongkong upon meeting his girl for lunch at a hotel or club will not salute her with, "Dear, you look simply divine to-day." He will sternly admonish her, "You can go right home and wash your face, throw that last fortnight's poney in the dustbin, get a fresh pair of gloves and scrub your nails. Then I'll buy you some gin and spinach and not before." It is possible!

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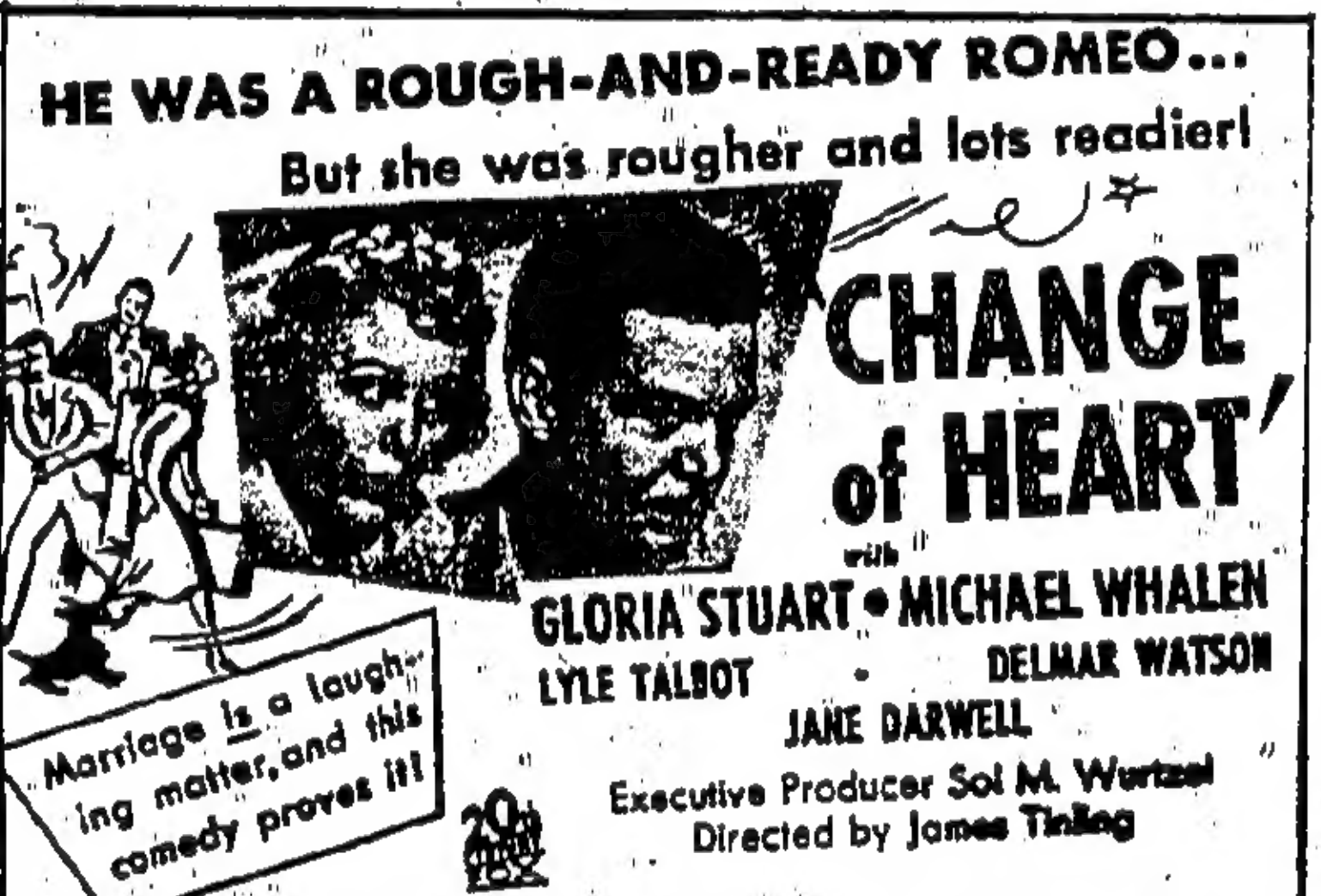
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KING'S:
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Kowloon

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"Change Of Heart"
STAR:
"Over The Wall"
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Coming

KING'S:
"Yellow Jack"
QUEEN'S:
"Affairs Of Annabel"
ORIENTAL:
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ALHAMBRA:
"Letter Of Introduction"
"Swing Your Lady"
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INTRODUCTION TO ENJOYMENT

Fine dramatic situations and hilarious comedy moments march across the screen in "A Letter of Introduction," which is being shown at the Queen's Theatre to-day.
Adolphe Menjou, Andrea Leeds and George Murphy provide the drama. The comedy is excellently taken care of by that remarkable pair, Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy, whom you saw in "The Goldwyn Follies."
Andrea Leeds and Adolphe Menjou carry the story of an aging actor who discovers, through a letter of introduction, that he is the father of a grown daughter, the role played by Miss Leeds. The actor's ego, coupled with the fear of losing his screen-idol popularity, prompts him to conceal their true relationship from the world. Through this deception comes a succession of unusual events.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY
Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Charles, Archbishop of Milan. Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this Page).
Dances.—Central British Assn. Cabaret-Supper Dance, at Peninsula Hotel, 9 p.m.; Reel Practice at Helena May, 5.30 p.m.
Lectures.—A.R.P. Maryknoll Convent School, Kowloon, 4 p.m.; Full Course Anti-Gas Training at Police Reserve Emergency Unit Hqs., 20 Ice House Street, 5.30 p.m.; A.R.P. for Men and Women, by Mr. J. G. Hooper, at St. John Ambulance Hqs., 5.45 p.m.
Malls.—(See Page 16).
Meetings.—Helena May Religious Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.
Miscellaneous.—Sale of Work in Union Church Hall, Kennedy Road, opened by Mrs. E. Wylie, 3 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Bridge Class, 10 a.m.
Moon.—IX Moon, 13th Day.
Rehearsals.—Y.M.C.A. Pantomime in the West Lounge, 9 p.m.
Social.—Whist Drive and Tombola, in R. E. Warrant Officers' and Sergeants' Mess, Wellington Barracks, 9.15 p.m.; Chero Club Bridge Night, Government House Ball, 9.30 p.m.
Sports.—(See Page 10).
Sunrise.—5.29 a.m. Sunset.—5.45 p.m.
Tides.—High at 05.51 and 19.00 Low at 00.40 and 12.36.
TO-MORROW
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SIAMESE CATS' BLUE EYES

Hue Much Deeper In British Climate

British climatic conditions have produced a depth of pure blue in the eyes of Siamese cats never before equalled in the history of the breed.

This was the view recently of two judges at the 15th annual championship show of the Siamese Cat Club, held at the Drill Hall, Chancery-street, W.

Mme. d'Ollone, of New York, a member of the New Jersey Cat Club, who crossed the Atlantic specially to judge at the show, said: "The eye colour is superlative. This is the loveliest collection of cats I have ever seen." She has been a breeder for more than 30 years.

The other judge who noticed the deeper eye colour was Mrs. Barnes-Lawrence, who comes from Siam. She was chosen because of her birth nationality to award a new prize for the kitten with most charm, regardless of show points.

"The English climate has something to do with the deeper blue of the cats' eyes," she said. "When the cats come to Siam the eyes become paler."

There was 182 cats shown—a record—and the prizes were presented by Miss Elsie and Miss Doris Waters.

Lord Ashfield, Chairman of the London Passenger Transport Board, presenting bars to "Safety First" medals held by 100 bus-drivers with 15 years' freedom from accident said: "These drivers have covered 27,000,000 miles in London streets without a single person being injured—a magnificent achievement."

MAKING A 350 ACRE LAKE

Progress On Vast New Reservoir

London's vast new reservoir at Staines, Middlesex, which will hold 4,400,000 gallons and will cost £1,250,000, is beginning to take shape.

Last summer this site of almost 400 acres was farmland. To-day it is a vast, dusty plain, with the 50ft banks already rising. About 1,000 men, working night and day on 10-hour shifts, are labouring on the project, which the Metropolitan Water Board expects will be completed in about 30 months.

The total area of the new reservoir at top-water level will be 350 acres and the depth will be 50ft.

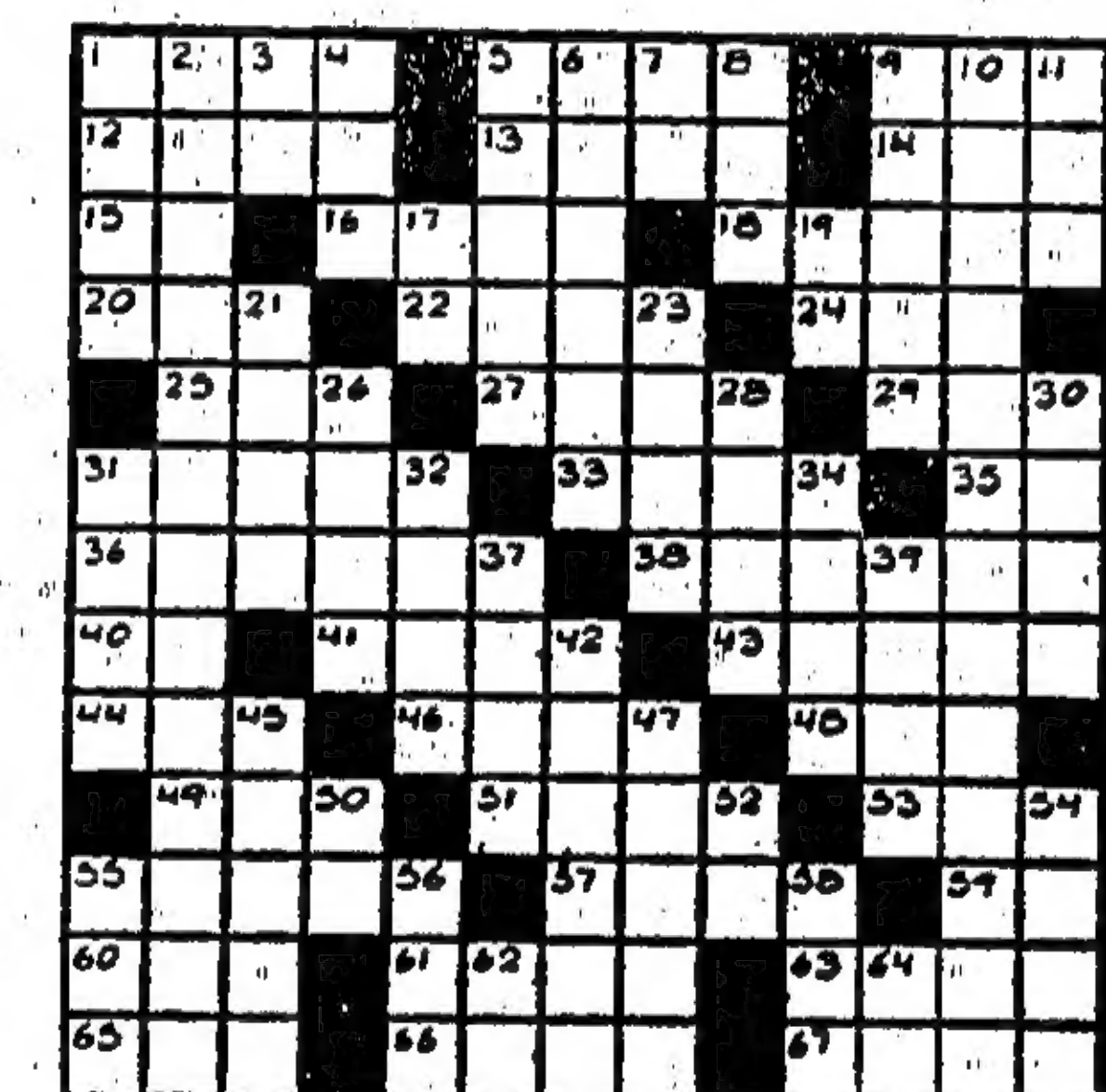
In the construction of the bank, which will be 3 1-3 miles around, 7,000,000 tons of soil will be used, while 680,000 tons of puddled clay will be used to form the water-retaining core wall of the embankment. The inside of the embankment will be lined with concrete slabs.

Water will be pumped into the reservoir from the Thames, and the system will be able to supply any part of London through pumping stations at Kempton Park and Hampton.

Mr. F. W. Ireland, the resident engineer, described the two new high-speed excavating machines which were brought from America for work on the scheme. "They plough the soil on to a moving belt," he explained. "From the moving belt the soil drops into wagons pulled by caterpillar tractors. There are two two-ton wagons to a unit and they are filled in 90 seconds. They in turn take the soil away and dump it on to the bank. By this system everything is on the move the whole time."

CROSSWORD NO. 151

- ACROSS
1. Epic
5. House:
9. Spanish
12. Affirmative
13. Harvest
15. Prepare for publication
16. Imitate
17. Concerning
18. Subtle emanation
19. Moral
20. Utilise
22. Who became commander of U.S. naval forces in Europe at the outbreak of the World War?



24. Island of the Aegean
25. Legal profession
27. Feudal estate
29. South American wood
30. Sorrel
31. Stringed instruments
33. Men working aboard ship
35. Symbol for oil
36. Reflexive form of it
38. South American blanket
40. Myself
41. Tells a falsehood
43. Garden shrub
44. Constellation
46. Entreaty
48. Fibre of the palm
49. Masculine name
51. What was the ancient capital of Irish monarchs?
53. Insect egg
55. What is the base of the British Mediterranean fleet?
57. Drama travestying scenes from life
59. Suffix pertaining to

60. Unit
61. Large knife (obs.)
63. Thoroughfare
65. Beast of burden
66. Make a murmuring sound
67. Catalogue

- DOWN
1. Having the colour of unbleached stuff
2. What is the name for members of the religion introduced into Scotland by John Knox?
3. Symbol in chess
4. Mineral spring
5. Old English type line
6. Who wrote "The Native's Return and Dynamite?"
7. Note of the scale
8. Consumed
9. In Gulliver's Travels what is the name for a brute having man's form and vices?
10. Members of a religious denomination
11. Dry; said of wines
12. Pronoun
19. Note of the scale
21. Sense organs
23. Weights of India
26. Lively dance
28. Perceive by touch
30. Fish sauce
31. What is the capital of Peru?
32. Slide
34. Mandatory process under seal
37. Stuff of matted wool
39. Masculine name
42. Machine for making joints in sheet metal
45. What medieval kingdom was nearly equivalent to Lower Burgundy?
47. What airy spirit appears in Shakespeare's "Tempest"?
50. By
52. Part of "to be."
54. Allowance for waste
55. Extinct flightless bird
56. Serpent
58. Cloth measure
62. Greek letter
64. Three-toed sloth

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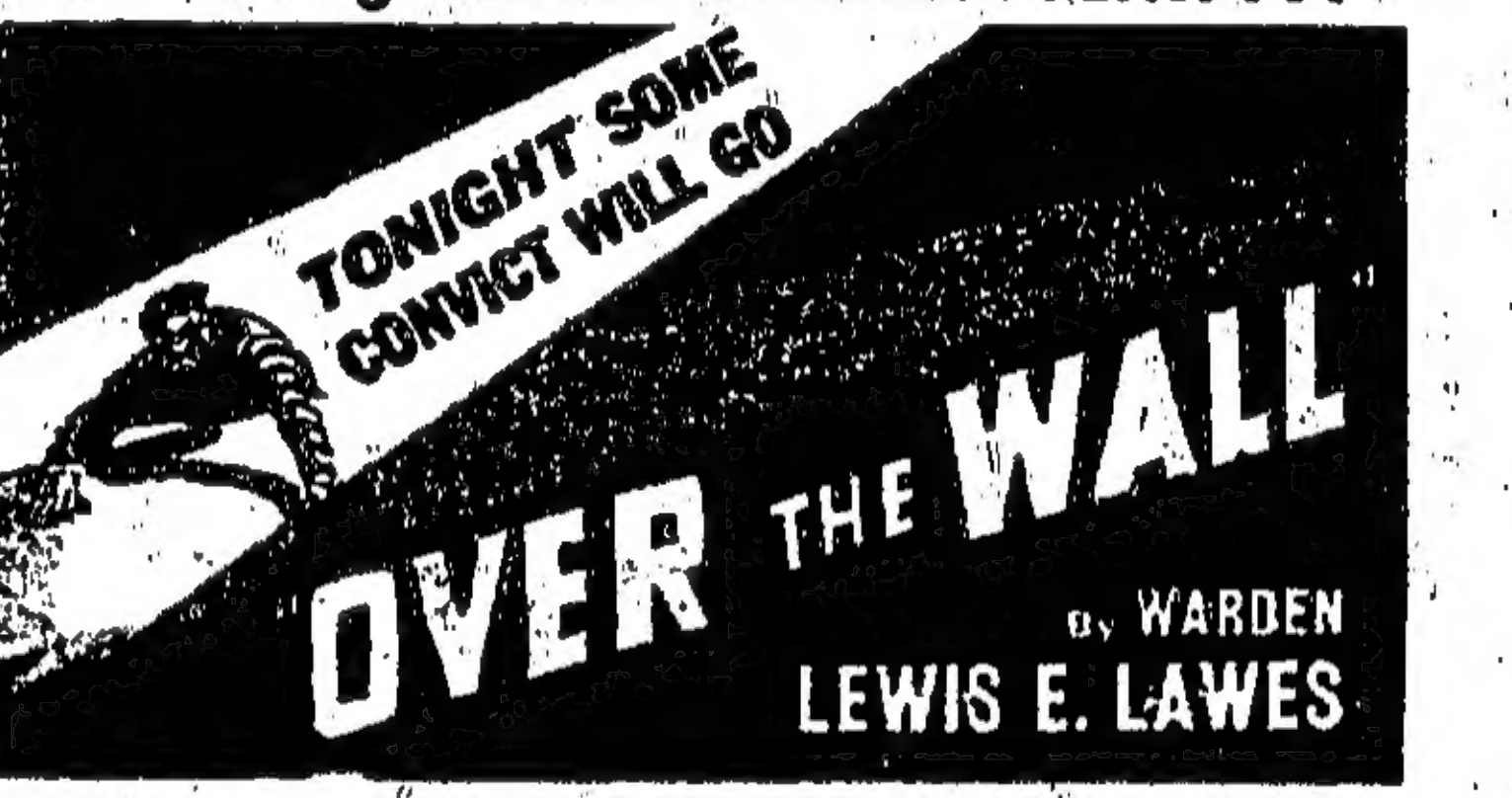
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ANGLO-ITALIAN AGREEMENT TO BE BROUGHT INTO FORCE

PREMIER SAYS SPAIN NO LONGER A MENACE

London, November 3.

The Prime Minister, in moving in the House of Commons yesterday that "the House welcomes the intention of His Majesty's Government to bring the Anglo-Italian Agreement into force," recalled his observation on the joint declaration with Herr Hitler at Munich that, if it were suitably followed up, it might well be found to contain the seed of a new era of confidence and peace in Europe.

He said that since the date of the Anglo-Italian Agreement, there had been no differences between Italy and Britain, but it was clear that if the improvement in relations was to be maintained the delay in putting the Agreement into force could not be indefinitely prolonged.

The issue before the House, said Mr. Chamberlain, was not the Agreement itself, which had already been approved by a large majority, but whether the preliminary condition which he had laid down as essential before it could come into force had now been fulfilled.

The British plan for withdrawal of volunteers had been accepted by the Powers on the Non-Intervention Committee, and the Spanish Government had announced at Geneva its intention to withdraw the International Brigade. Moreover, at Munich, Signor Mussolini had volunteered information that he intended to withdraw 10,000 men, or about half the Italian infantry force, from Spain. These had now been withdrawn.

It was true that Italian pilots, aircraft and other material remained in Spain, said Mr. Chamberlain, but His Majesty's Government had received from Signor Mussolini assurances that, first, the remaining Italian forces of all categories would be withdrawn under the Non-Intervention Committee's plan when it came into operation, secondly, that no further Italian troops would be sent

to Spain and, thirdly, that the Italian Government had never for a moment entertained the idea of sending a compensatory air force to Spain in place of infantry forces withdrawn.

SUBSTANTIAL EARNEST

"These three assurances, in conjunction with the actual withdrawal, in my judgment constitutes substantial earnest of the good intentions of the Italian Government and form a considerable contribution to the elimination of the Spanish question as a menace to peace," said the Premier.

"When I was at Munich, I spoke on the future of Spain with both Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini," continued Mr. Chamberlain, "and both of them assured me most definitely that they had no territorial ambitions whatever in Spain. In my mind it is perfectly clear that the Spanish question is no longer a menace to the peace of Europe and, consequently, there is no valid reason why we should not now take a step which obviously would contribute to general appeasement."

The Premier said that if any justification were required for the

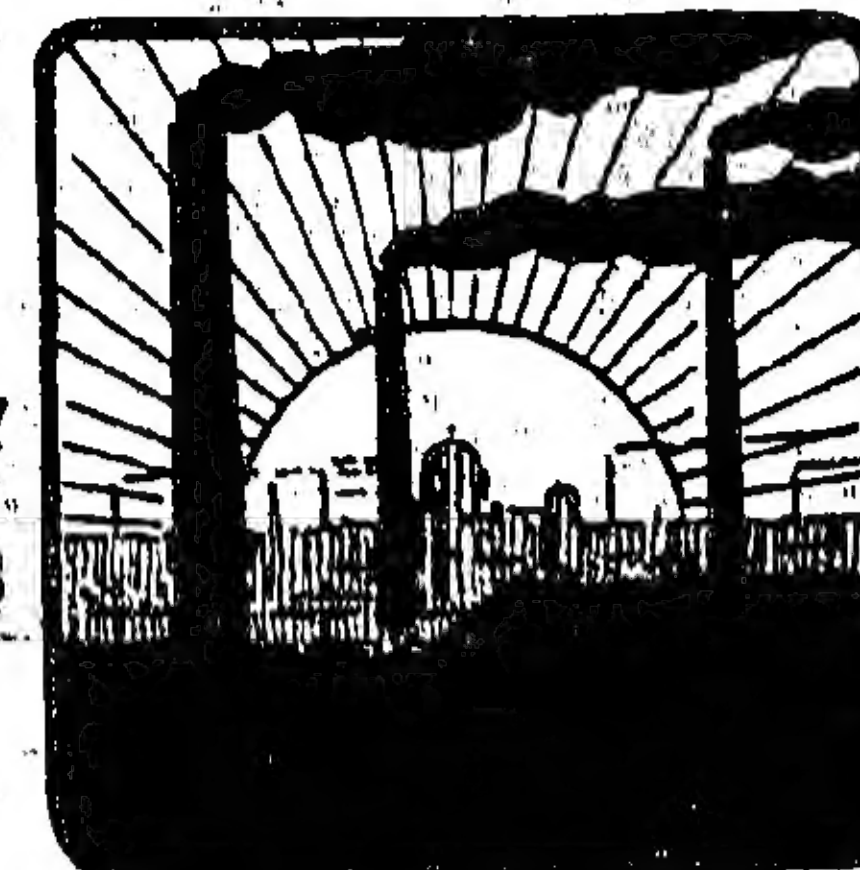
policy of agreement with Italy, it could be found in the action of Signor Mussolini when, at his (the Premier's) request, the Duce used his influence with Herr Hitler before Munich. By that act, the peace of Europe was saved, and it could not be supposed that Signor Mussolini would have responded if British relations with Italy had remained what they were 18 months ago.

ETHIOPIA RECOGNITION

Regarding recognition of Italian sovereignty in Ethiopia the Premier stated that new credentials would be issued to Lord Perth, British Ambassador, on similar lines to those which the French Government intended to give the new French Ambassador in Rome. —British Wireless.

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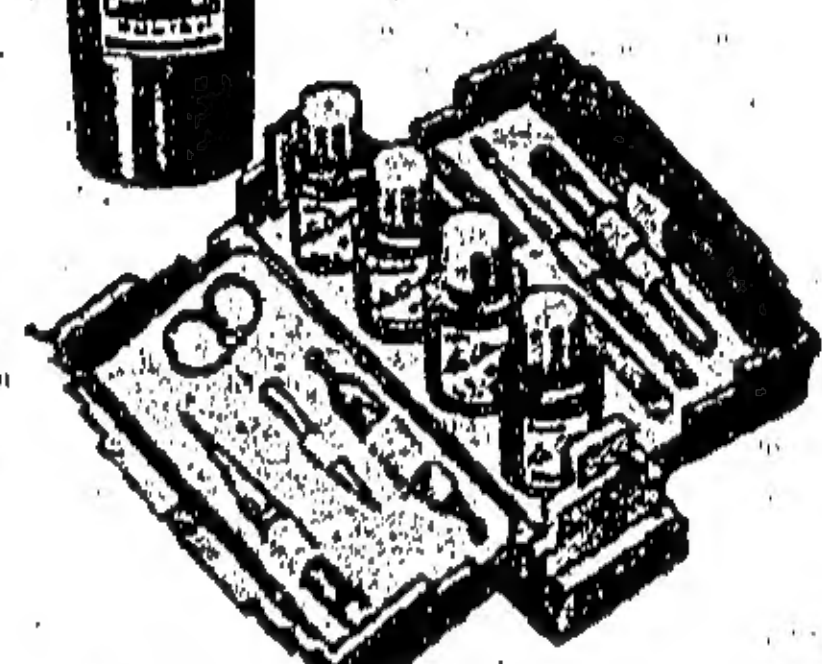
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Results Of Italo-German Mediation

Vienna, Nov. 3.

The Italo-German award, signed at 7.30 p.m., grants Hungary all Czechoslovak territory populated by an indisputable Hungarian majority, and thus about 1,000,000 Hungarians and considerable territory will pass to Hungarian sovereignty.

Of the five cities regarding which the controversy between Hungary and Czechoslovakia arose, Hungary gets the Ruthenian capital of Uzhhorod, and Ruthenia's second largest town of Mukachevo, as well as the big Slovak industrial town of Kosice, while Bratislava and Mita remain in the hands of the Slovaks.

As a result of the award, communications between Slovakia and Ruthenia are almost completely cut.

The decision is regarded as a diplomatic success for Hungary and Italy, and a severe blow to the Slovaks.

After the meeting Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, was all smiles, while Herr von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, was distinctly cool when he bade farewell to the Hungarian Foreign Minister, Dr. Kanya.

BOMB INCIDENT IN SHANGHAI

Chungking, Nov. 3.

Two salesmen of the World Book Company in Hankow Road in the International Settlement were wounded yesterday morning when a small bomb placed on the counter by an unidentified person exploded, says a Shanghai message. Both workers were rushed to hospital. The condition of one is said to be serious.—Central News.

JAPAN BURNS HER BOATS

Tokyo, Nov. 3.

As made known yesterday, the Japanese Government has telegraphed instructions to its Minister in Bern, Mr. Elji Amau, to inform the Secretary General of the League of Nations, M. Avenol, that Japan has now decided to sever all existing connections with the League in non-political spheres.—Transocean.

HEIR PRESUMPTIVE FOR GREECE

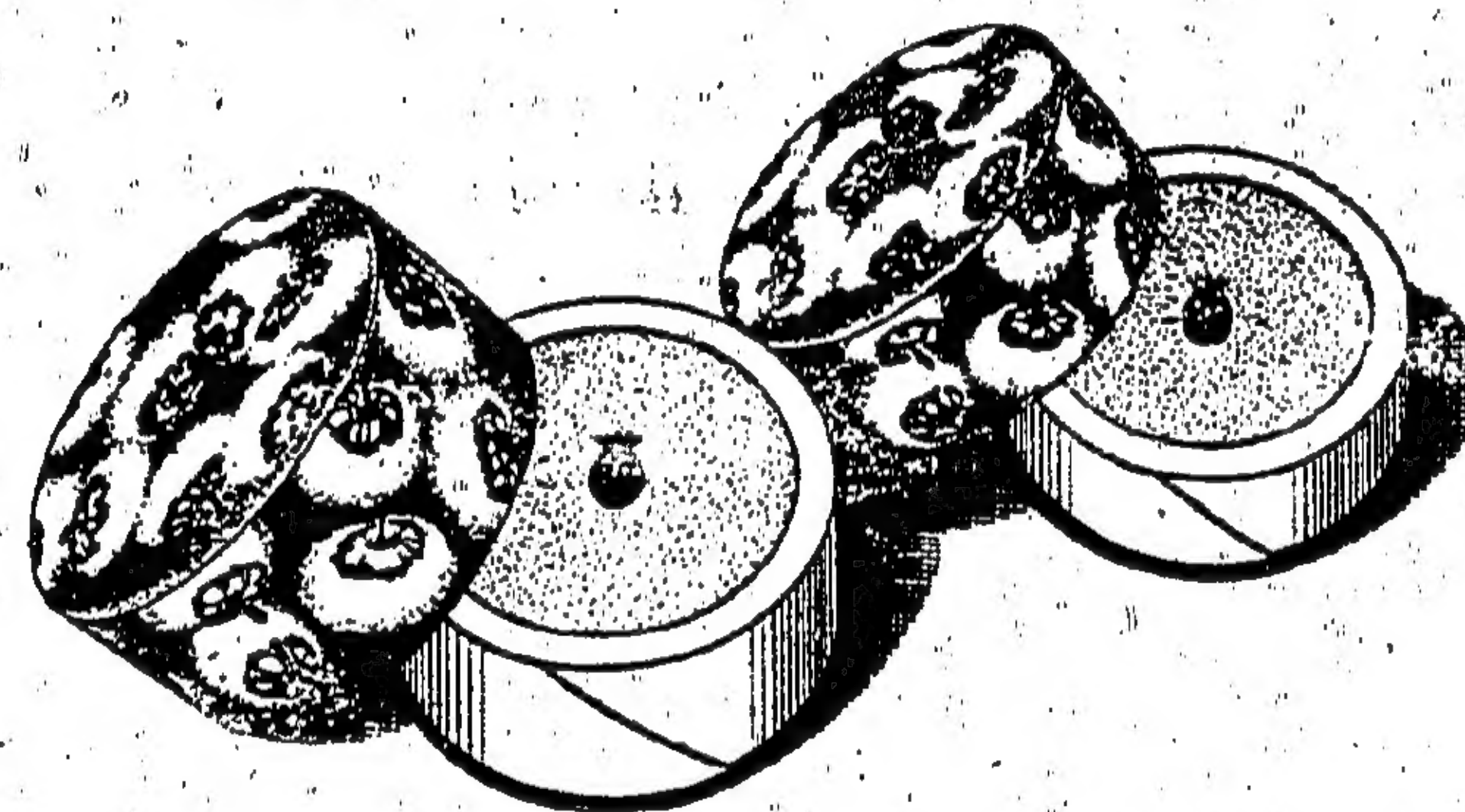
Athens, Nov. 3.

Princess Frederika of Braunschweig Lueneburg, consort to the brother of King George and Heir Presumptive to the Greek Throne, gave birth to a daughter last night. The happy event was heralded by a salute of 21 guns. Mother and child are well.—Transocean.

Evacuation will begin on November 5, and will be completed by November 10.—Reuter.

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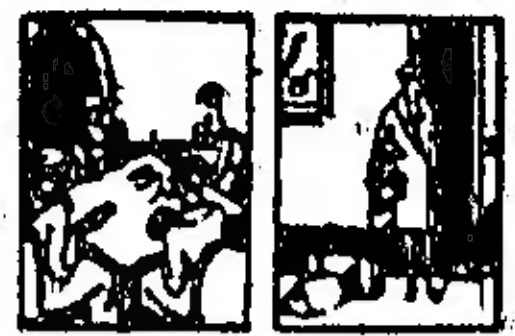
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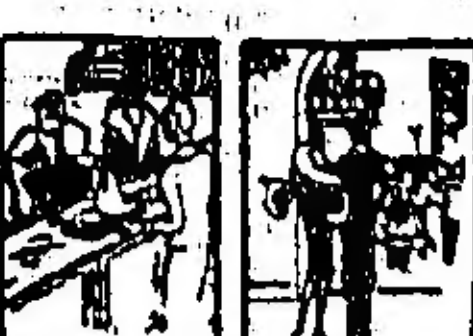
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Vegetable Soup
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Fish Croquettes
with
Creamed Cucumbers
Mashed Turnips
Baked Potatoes
Hot Fruit Gingerbread
with
Frozen Whipped Cream
Coffee

WUHAN SONGSTERS RECITAL

The Wuhan Songsters will give a special concert at the King's Theatre on Sunday at 10.30 a.m. The programme will include choral and dramatic items.

Admission will be by invitation cards, which can be obtained at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Chinese Y.W.C.A., China Information Service, China Building, Hongkong Hotel, Gloucester Hotel, Peninsula Hotel, Metropole Hotel, "Hongkong Daily Press," "South China Morning Post," Tsang Pook Music Co., and Hongkong Chinese Women's Club.

CANDID CAMERA AT THE RACES



MRS. HOLT, Lieut.-Colonel H. B. Holt, O.B.E., M.C., and Mrs. Moss photographed at the Ninth Extra Race meeting. (Photo by Leica).

How An Ambassador's Wife Makes His Speech

Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, U.S. Ambassador in London, proposing the toast of "The Royal and Merchant Navies" at the annual Trafalgar Day dinner of the Navy League, at the Dorchester Hotel, devoted much of his speech to telling how his wife had helped compose it.

"I did not want to talk about the Navy," said Mr. Kennedy. "He had thought about armaments—praising the peace-loving countries who had decided to build them up."

"But my wife said: 'It's a good subject, and one that ought to be discussed, but at a Navy League dinner don't you think you had better try something else?'"

Mr. Kennedy had another idea. He thought of saying a few words about Mr. Chamberlain, of whom he saw much during the crisis.

"In fact, he did say to his audience: 'History will show whether or not he made the right decision—but I must say that his but superhuman efforts on behalf of peace should command the respect of all.' But then—"

"You are absolutely right," said my wife and critic, "but... have you thought how this would sound back home? You

know, dear, our Ambassadors are supposed to lose all powers of resistance when they get to London. You don't want folks to get the idea that you are seeing things through English eyes."

"For a while I was tempted to fall back on my nine children. They are always good for five minutes. I could also enlarge on the hole-in-one which I had the good fortune to make at Stoke Poges."

"You have talked about the children too much," said their mother. "They are fine children and all that, but you cannot expect every one else to be as interested in them as you are."

"That was the last straw! I am sorry, ladies and gentlemen, but it appears that I shall have to fall back on the Navy after all."

Mr. Kennedy then said: "Great Britain and the United States, after more than a century of rivalry, seem to have reached an understanding. Neither Navy has assumed any obligation to assist the other in time of trouble."

"This is, I believe, a relationship unique in the annals of naval history. It is probably the first time two nations not bound by an alliance have actually welcomed every ship launched by the other. So far as Great Britain and the United States are concerned, the Navy is an incentive not to discord but to peace."

Plan Quicker Divorces

With over 2,000 divorce suits still awaiting trial as the Divorce Division opened its autumn term in England a fortnight ago, President Sir Boyd Merriman revealed a new scheme to put an end to the courts' chronic congestion. From London's High Courts more cases will be switched to local assizes.

Petitions heard in the Central Divorce Division take almost a year. Its courts must handle all cases except those of "poor persons" in undefended suits.

A "poor person" is one with a capital of not less than £50 and income under £4 a week. His advantage is that his petition can be heard in local courts, and disposed of much quicker than those of his richer fellow citizens. Sir Boyd Merriman's scheme provides a more liberal interpretation of what constitutes a "poor person."

The reform was hailed as "divorce by post"—the postman will bring to unhappy spouses the news that their petitions can be heard at their own sessions.

AMATEUR PLAYERS ATTEND Y'S MEN'S CLUB Tiffin

"Ladies' Day" at the Hongkong Y's Men's Club tiffin, held at St. Francis Hotel yesterday, was a big success, which was largely contributed to by the presence of the cast of "Romance of the Western Chamber," brilliant Chinese play which has just concluded its run at the Queen's Theatre.

The speaker at the tiffin was Mr. E. H. Munson, member of the Y's Men's Club of Foochow.

Mr. Peter H. Sin presided and guests introduced were Mrs. Li Shi-pui (producer of "Romance of the Western Chamber"), Mr. O. Yang (director), Miss Ung Mei-ying, Mr. Herbert Tong, Mrs. Elsie Lee Soong, Mr. Henry Lin, Mrs. Violet Chan, Mr. S. F. Wong, Miss Doreen Wei (members of the cast of the play) Miss Priscilla Ho, Mr. Walter Hamming Chen, Mrs. Ward, Mr. Ho Hon-cheung, and Mr. Pan.

MR. J.J. PATERSON GOING HOME

MR. LANDALE TO HEAD JARDINE HONG

The "Hongkong Daily Press" is informed that the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, talpan of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., is to leave Hongkong for England in February next and that Mr. D. F. Landale will take charge of the company's affairs.

Mr. D. L. Newbiggin, now at Shanghai, will come south to take the place of Mr. Landale.

Temperamental Round About Types EXOTIC

(MARLENE DIETRICH, TALLULAH BANKHEAD).

Her physical characteristics are a svelte figure, pale features, large eyes, extreme coiffures. She has a mysteriously foreign or Oriental flavour, and may be an actress or fashion model.

Like the sophisticated she adores night life, seldom beginning her day until noon.

Dominant notes in her wardrobe are Chinese mandarin robes, Hindu veils, Moorish wraps, harem skirts and, in the day time, Coosack lines.

The exotic never wears (Marlene-Dietrich) sports clothes or suits, she likes unrelieved black, Chinese red, Ming yellow, Javanese brown, Egyptian prints, Chinese brocades, laces in metal tones, or anything bizarre that will foster the "femme fatale" idea.

cohded to the Air Ministry Staff during the critical period of September.

NEWSETTES

Mr. N. Westwood, manager of the United Artists Corporation in Shanghai, is visiting the Colony.

Mr. Paul Scheel, Consul-General for Denmark, arrived in Shanghai in the s.s. Empress of Japan, from home leave.

Mr. A. C. Cornish, of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company, has been elected to the Shanghai Council.

Mrs. E. M. L. Pearce and her son, Mr. J. L. C. Pearce, returned from home, via Vancouver, in the Empress of Japan yesterday morning.

Returning from leave in the Empress of Japan were Mr. and Mrs. B. Kauffmann, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company.

Mr. D. Lyon, of the shipping department of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., is paying a visit to Haiphong and expects to return in the near future.

Anti-aircraft firing practice will be carried out from the vicinity of Tai Wan Tau (near Clear Water Bay) between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. to-day.

The first Central British Association Cabaret-Supper Dance of the season will be held in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel to-night.

Mr. G. E. Gilbert, adviser to the Central Bank of China, returned to the Colony in the Empress of Japan yesterday and is staying at the Peninsula Hotel.

The manager of the Eastman Kodak Co. in the Colony, Mr. G. Frisque, returned to Hongkong by the Empress of Japan with his wife yesterday.

The death occurred, suddenly, on October 22, at Barton End, Alton, Hants, of Mrs. Lucy Wright widow of R. T. Wright, late of Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

Mr. W. H. Plant, Manager of the U.S. Steel Products Company in Shanghai and President of the American Chamber of Commerce in that city, called for America last week in the Empress of Russia.

Only one case of enteric fever reported prevented the Colony from having a completely clean bill of health on Wednesday.

Among those arriving from Shanghai yesterday in the s.s. Empress of Japan was Mrs. S. Lord, who is en route to England via New Zealand.

Returning from a vacation by the Empress of Japan, yesterday morning was Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hughes, general manager of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Astington and their son returned from a short trip yesterday in the Empress of Japan. Mr. Astington is manager of the Swedish Match Co.

The manager of the Canton office of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Mr. R. Y. Frost, arrived in the Colony from Indo-China yesterday, by the Air France plane, Ville d'Hanoi.

Miss M. Hobson arrived in the Colony with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. L. Hobson, by the Empress of Japan yesterday. Miss Hobson will marry Mr. Malcolm Hardie of the Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.

H.E. the Governor, accompanied by Lady Northcote, will open the 55th annual fête of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, to be held on the open ground beside the Peninsula Hotel on Sunday at 3 p.m.

A meeting of the Finance Committee of the Hongkong Boy Scouts Association was held at the Boy Scouts Headquarters yesterday when the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau presided. It was revealed that donations amounting to over \$400 had been received from various local firms.

There were 84 traffic accidents in the Colony last week, as the result of which five persons were killed and 31 injured. Those killed were two Chinese boys, a girl and a youth of 23, who were all knocked down by motor vehicles, and a Chinese 38 years old, who died from injuries received through jumping off a moving lorry.

CHAT AT RACES



PHOTOGRAPH taken at the Ninth Extra Race meeting. (Photo by Leica)

ITALIAN CROWN PRINCESS

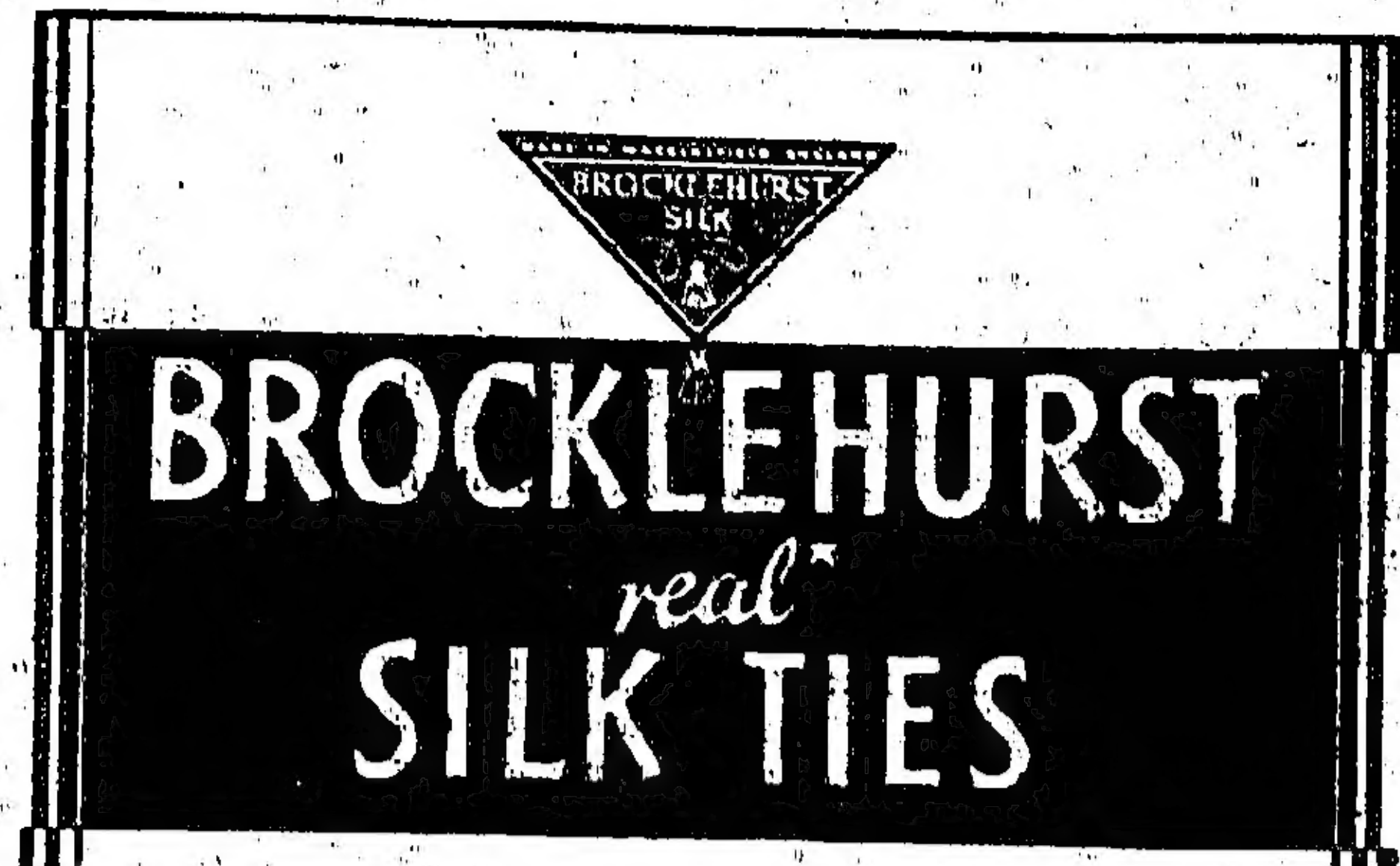
London, Nov. 3.

The Italian Crown Princess and sister of King Leopold of Belgium who for some time has been staying in London left last night for Brussels.

Count Grandi, Italian Ambassador to London, and other members of the Italian Embassy were at the station to bid the Crown Princess farewell.—Transocean.

It is learned that a three-year old American child named Phoebe Nyhus was killed and her mother and elder sister were wounded, when a bomb from a Japanese plane landed on the Lutheran Mission, at Tungpei, Honan, on October 24.

Mr. W. E. Holland, of the National Carbon Company, Shanghai, and popular Volunteer, is due back from home leave shortly. Mr. Holland rejoined his old regiment, the Scottish Horse, and was se-



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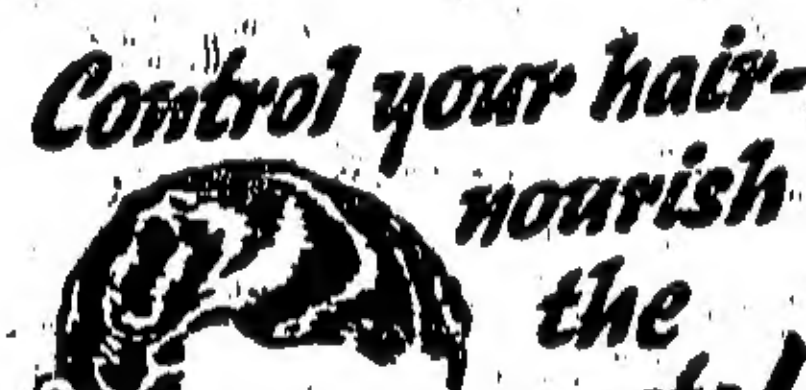
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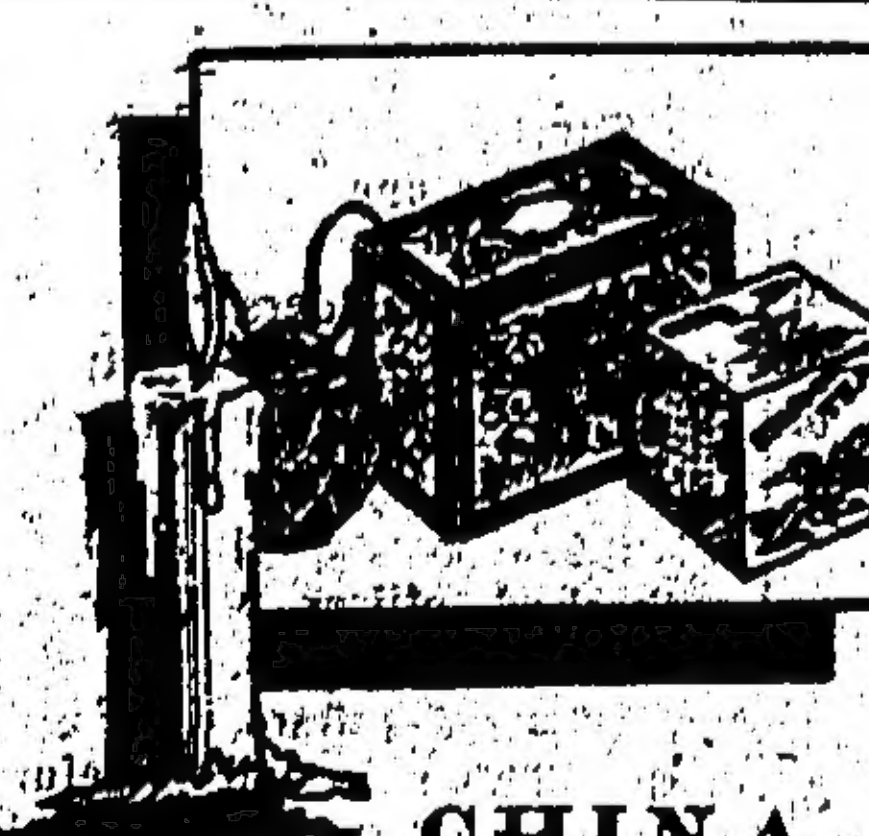
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All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 3rd day of November, 1938.

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
Solicitors for the Executrix,
Hong Kong and Shanghai
Bank Building,
Hong Kong.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS of Antoine Joseph Fernand Sireyol, late of Nam Dinh (Tonkin), French Indo-China, Company Director, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 24th day of November, 1938.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 28th day of October, 1938.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE ESTATE of JAMES RAMSAY, late of the City of Vancouver in the Province of British Columbia, Dominion of Canada, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897 made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 24th day of November, 1938.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 27th day of October, 1938.

WILKINSON & GRIST,
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NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER of the Legal Practitioners' Ordinance, 1871, Section 16.

NOTICE is hereby given that 1. William Alfred Thomson of No. 14, Queen's Road Central, Victoria in the Colony of Hong Kong, Articled Clerk to Mr. Peter Henry Sin of the above-mentioned address, Solicitor, intend, at the expiration of one month hereof, to apply for my examination and admission as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Hong Kong.

Dated the 2nd day of November, 1938.

W. A. THOMSON.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 7th day of Nov., 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Shamshuipo, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1920	Tai Po Road, Shamshuipo.	As per sale plan.	About 3,500	40	\$7,500

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance, 1897, made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in claims against the above estate to the 21st day of November, 1938.

All creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before the above date.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1938.

A. EL ARCULLI,
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Hong Kong.

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The undernoted cargo has been lying unclaimed in The China Navigation Co.'s West Point Godown since its arrival in Hong Kong ex the vessels mentioned.

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IRVING BERLIN IN LONDON

Irving Berlin, the man who wrote "Alexander's Ragtime Band" 28 years ago and changed the popular music of the world, is in London.

He is there to attend the premiere of the Twentieth Century-Fox film, "Alexander's Ragtime Band," at the Regal, Marble Arch. The film is a drama of 30 years of a composer's life, studied with Mr. Berlin's most famous hits. It has been accepted as autobiographical. "Actually," he said, "it is fiction, but if everybody will insist it's true."

While in London Mr. Berlin will take part in two broadcasts by Louis Levy, of his most famous number, which is still his best seller in America. Mr. Berlin began his career as Izzy Baline, the singing waiter. He never learned to read music, and is reputed to have made \$1,000,000. He composes his tunes off the piano, with all ten fingers, not one on each hand, as people always say—and somebody else writes them down and orchestrates them.

ENGAGEMENTS

TEUFELBACHER-BRETSCHNEIDER. The engagement is announced of Maria-Teresa (Pussy), eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Tiefenbacher of Shanghai to Fritz, second son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bretschneider of Magdeburg, Germany.

GREENFIELD-EVANS.—The engagement is announced of Audrey Victoria Francis, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Greenfield of Shanghai, to Charles Thomas Evans of Messrs. Boyd and Co., Amoy.

BIRTHS

DEAN.—On October 25, 1938, at St. Marie's Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean (nee Eva Buldewitz), a son.

DEAN.—On October 25, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Lilian and Henry J. West, a daughter.

DEATHS

GARLAND.—On October 30, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, Ronald Cayless Garland, aged 18 years, youngest son of Mr. L. A. Garland and brother of E. H. Garland.

HUTCHINSON.—On Monday, October 31, 1938, suddenly, at the Shanghai General Hospital, Herbert Hutchinson, aged 66 years, the dearly-beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Cordelia Hutchinson, and father of Mrs. Hilda Thomas.

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"ENGLISH SOFT SOAP"

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, the American newspaper magnate, has again broken into the news. In a broadcast from his ranch at San Simeon, California, he replied vigorously to the recent broadcast of Mr. Winston Churchill to the people of the United States in which the latter invited America to join France and Great Britain in a concerted drive against dictatorships.

In the blistering manner for which he is noted, Hearst, who, through the chain of American newspapers which he controls, is the leader of what is known as "yellow journalism" as opposed to red, "shot his neck out" in a violent attack on Great Britain. For his anti-British utterances and activities, Hearst is too well-known to cause England's statesmen to wrinkle their brows and there will be a general inclination to treat him as one whose bark is worse than his bite.

"England is now afraid that the domination which she and France have exercised over Europe since the execution of the Versailles Treaty will be jeopardized," Hearst said. "England is also disturbed about her great interest in the Orient. Singapore is not safe. Japan is menacing Hongkong. England's Navy cannot be in several places at once; England's Army cannot be both at home and abroad. England wants other navies and other armies."

England needs help. And where should she turn for help except to good old Uncle Sam, so sought after when he is needed, so scoffed at and scorned in all intervening times. English propaganda is again flooding the United States; English soft soap is again being poured over Uncle Sam's devoted head, lathered into his ears and eyes.

BRITONS ARE BY NO MEANS DISCONCERTED with this malicious broadcast, coming as it does from one whose friendship with England has never been close. The statements which we have quoted are too mischievous and ridiculous to call for much comment but Hearst may rest assured that England is not afraid that her interests will be jeopardized on the contrary, she is now less disturbed than she has been for many a day. Words to the effect that England needs help and is pouring soft

AMERICAN SHOT THROUGH HEAD

Affair Discovered By Neighbour

Discovered in his room shot through the head, M. Davey, an American citizen living at No. 397, Rue Tenant de la Tour, Shanghai, was taken to hospital by French police but was found to be dead upon arrival.

The shooting was discovered after a neighbour of Mr. Davey had informed the police that a shot had been fired in his apartment. Entering the room, the police found Mr. Davey lying with a wound through the head, one bullet being extracted later at the hospital.

Mr. Davey, who leaves a widow, was aged about 58 years, and had been employed by the Standard Oil Co., and later the Yee Tsong Tobacco Co., which firm he left in March this year for reasons of health. At the time of his death he was not employed.

ARABS FIRE ON TRUCKS

Jerusalem, Nov. 3. Motor trucks, transporting Jews from Haifa to Jenin, were fired at yesterday by Arabs. British troops were rushed up and six Arabs were killed.

Between Jerusalem and Ramallah, British planes participated in a fight between British soldiers and Arabs. The number of dead and wounded has not yet been revealed.

Among those arrested by the British authorities at Jaffa 50 were identified as members of the Arab Volunteer Corps.—Transocean.

CHINESE AUTHOR MISSING

Chinese literary circles are concerned over the fate of Mr. Pa Chin, the well-known novelist, who was known to be in Canton during the time of the Japanese invasion.

Mr. Pa's friends have not heard from him for a long time and inquiries from likely sources have not brought any information as to his possible whereabouts.

FOOCHOW RUMOUR DENIED

Shanghai, Nov. 3. The Commander of the Japanese China Fleet yesterday denied that a large number of troops were being landed on the coast of Fukien, and stated that, contrary to newspaper reports, no extensive military operations were taking place in the vicinity of Foochow.

The Commander also denied knowledge of any smaller military operations.—Transocean.

soap over Uncle Sam's devoted head are ludicrous. What Britain seeks with America "SOFT SOAP" is her friendship and co-operation rather than a ROT military alliance and Hearst, who professes to be the "top-notch" in the American journalistic world, should be aware of this.

GREAT BRITAIN SEEKS PEACE through friendly means but, when the lion's tail is tugged too often, she is likely to do something more than roar. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the British Prime Minister, has shown the world, as Hearst's countrymen put it, that Britain is sincere in her desire for peace among nations and is prepared to go far and make considerable sacrifices in order to achieve her end.

Had it not been for Great Britain's fine initiative, the world would to-day have been in the throes of a war worse than anything that has been witnessed. Mr. Chamberlain's latest step in bringing the Anglo-Italian agreement into force, thereby making another important step towards a general appeasement of the situation in Europe, is ample proof of Britain's intentions. It is farcical that Hearst should believe that the British people are not prepared to subordinate their nationalism for common good: Britain has been ready to do this for a long time, as proof of which she has made very far-reaching concessions in a sincere desire to improve the general atmosphere.

If other nations are prepared to make similar sacrifices, the world will be the better off but, so long as suspicions remain and so long as mischievous people of the Hearst type roam about the world, cannot expect to enjoy real and lasting peace.

WHAT'S GOOD FOR THE NEXT RACE?



PICTURE TAKEN AT THE Ninth Extra Race meeting held at Happy Valley. Dr. G. W. Pope, Medical Officer of Health, is seen on the extreme right. (Photo by Lalas).

CORRESPONDENCE

WANG CHING-WEI'S STATEMENTS

[To the Editor, "The Hongkong Daily Press"]

Sir,—I do not wish to enter into a useless controversy on what constitutes treason or patriotism, nor do I wish to enter into a discussion of political personalities with Mr. Percy Chen, but I do wish to state the following facts in connection with his article in your paper on November 1 last:

1. Mr. Wang Ching-wei retired to Germany not to spend "many" hours in conference with leading members of the "Nazis" but to receive treatment for his heart trouble at Bad Nauheim. While in Germany, he had never had a single interview with Herr Hitler, nor had he even been in Berlin. These facts Mr. Chen may verify by inquiring from the Chinese Embassy in Berlin or any other person informed of Mr. Wang's movements.

2. The statement which Mr. Wang made to Reuters on October 21—the day before the fall of Canton—was given in identical form to Transocean on October 13.

3. What Mr. Wang said on those two occasions was similar in contents, if different in form, with what Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek declared on at least two previous occasions, as may be seen from the following quotations:

(a) "Although the population is suffering greatly, China's determination is unrelenting and stiffening. Being forced to resort to arms, China does not close the door to mediation by any third party but the success of such a mediation will depend largely on the Japanese peace proposals. If the terms are not such as to jeopardize China's existence and independence, they will be considered an acceptable basis of discussion but otherwise there is no chance for negotiations."—Mr. Wang Ching-wei on October 13 to Transocean.

(b) "If Japan offers peace terms which are not such as to hamper the existence of the Chinese nation, we may accept them as a basis for discussion, but otherwise there is no room for mediation."—Mr. Wang Ching-wei on October 21 to Reuters.

(c) "China will not welcome intervention by Great Britain or any other foreign power with a view to arranging an armistice or peace, unless such intervention would restore China's sovereignty. China will accept no peace but an honourable one. In every respect her full sovereignty must be restored."—General Chiang Kai-shek on June 30 in a press interview.

(d) "We are determined to force our enemy to abandon his aggression and alter his traditional conception of our country. Our final aim is the re-establishment of peace in East Asia."—General Chiang Kai-shek on July 7 in a message to the Chinese nation.

(e) "If the people of Japan would coerce their warriors to change their policy, thereby restoring peace and Sino-Japanese friendship and laying a foundation for permanent peace in East Asia, they would be not only saving their country and themselves but also their sons and brothers. All within the four seas are brother. Because of racial and cultural factors, China's relations with Japan have been particularly close. Unfortunately, the Japanese military have been returning evil for good. Exercising the utmost patience, China had been hoping that the Japanese militarists would one day awaken to their follies and turn around to work jointly for peace in East Asia."—General Chiang Kai-shek

ROMANCE OF WESTERN CHAMBER.

Successful Play Concludes

Concluding the same brilliant success as it had begun, "Romance of the Western Chamber," Chinese play rendered in English under the auspices of the Hongkong Chinese Women's Club ended its run at the Queen's Theatre last night, when the curtain rang down on one of the best amateur shows ever produced locally.

There was again a fair attendance, those present including the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. Li Shu-lan, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Perdue, Dr. and Mrs. Li Shu-pui, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. MacKie, Mr. and Mrs. Wase, Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Law, Mr. Tang Shiu-kin, Mr. and Mrs. Che Hon-to, Mr. Li Lan-san, Mr. and Mrs. Li Chak-cho, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kong, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Loo, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chan, Miss Doreen Ma, Miss Daisy O'Keefe, Miss Bella Pestonji and Dr. and Mrs. K. K. Woo.

July 7 in a message to the Japanese people:

If anyone cares to interpret the above messages as expressions of desire for peace at any price, he is at liberty to do so, but he is not re-stating, or fairly interpreting, the facts.

TANG LEANG LI
Hongkong, Nov. 3 1938.

MOVE TO RELIEVE DISTRESS

[To the Editor, "The Hongkong Daily Press"]

Sir,—I read with much interest your leader this morning on the subject of the move made by citizens of Hongkong under the sympathetic patronage of His Excellency the Governor to relieve distress among Chinese victims of Japanese aggression.

Your suggestion that non-Hongkong Chinese should be invited to join in the appeal deserves some consideration. Perhaps the nature and object of the new organisation make this unsuitable or undesirable. If this is a Hongkong and South China Branch, then citizens of South China may, perhaps, be invited to become signatories of the appeal. On the other hand, if this is the Hongkong Branch or the British Branch, as it is officially called, then it is natural to see only citizens of Hongkong signing the appeal.

But what I am anxious to know is this: Is the new organisation another worthy relief association or does it aim at being the official (and possibly the only lawful) agency for the collection and distribution of relief funds? Perhaps the sponsors of this very worthy object will throw more light on this and other aspects of the new organisation. This will enable the public to subscribe more readily.

SYMPATHETIC.
Hongkong, Nov. 3 1938.

THE WHITE FEATHER AND LOLLIPPS!

[To the Editor, "The Hongkong Daily Press"]

Sir,—In your issue of Sunday appeared a letter over the name of "One Who Has Served." The writer suggested awarding the white feather to all young Chinese gentlemen, fit to serve the country but too lazy or timid to do so. I have found three gallant youths who have every right to the distinction. These three stalwarts, apparently refugees from the war zones, took things easily outside the Hongkong Hotel yesterday, each one sucking a lollipop! From their countenances, there was not a thought of the war in their minds.

NON-CHINESE SYMPATHISER.
Hongkong, Nov. 3 1938.

PROSPECTS FOR TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING

Queensland Handicap Tit-Bit Of Programme

FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER

(By "LAST QUARTER")

THE CHIEF EVENTS IN THE PROGRAMME to be presented to-morrow at the 10th Extra Race Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club are the Sub-Griffins St. Leger and the Freemantle St. Leger, over 1-1/4 miles. Entries on the whole have not been as large as at former meetings, with the possible exception of the Norfolk Handicap for "D" Class China ponies, but this should in no way affect the keen racing anticipated.

Judging by the allotment of weights, the most interesting race of the day will be the Queensland Handicap for "A" Class Australian ponies over one mile, when a field of "champions" will be on view and should furnish punters with a capital finish.

SALVAGE MASTER, WELL FANCIED FAVOURITE for the Sub-Griffins St. Leger has his task made all the easier owing to the enforced absence of Louis XIV and Smiling Thru. The former has been on the walking list for several months, since winning the Sub-Griffins Spring Handicap in March last, while Smiling Thru pulled up lame several weeks ago after a morning gallop and has not fully recovered. Another notable absentee is Desert Star. The entries for the Freemantle St. Leger are fairly representative and I believe all the nine ponies will go to the post.

SURREY HANDICAP

A noticeable feature of all races confined to "A" Class China ponies is the meagre support accorded them in the way of entries and this opening event on the programme is no exception. Based on all the four entrants accepting, the issue should lie between Silkyght and Confusion Bay. The brown stallion from the Cirs stable has been given a great deal of fast work lately and has responded well, so that he should strip in first class condition for the race and be a difficult one to beat.

The main opposition will be furnished by Confusion Bay, whose performance in winning the Hongkong Griffins Cup over 1 1/2 miles at the last race meeting in 2:26-2/5, and carrying 168 lbs. stamps the Dunbar candidate as a coming champion. With only 152 lbs. to look after and receiving 18 lbs. from Silkyght, the chances of Confusion Bay are greatly enhanced and I expect this bay to fully extend Silkyght.

King's Warden should account for third place, as this grey is galloping well and seems to be in better condition than Cameronian, whose work out last Saturday was not at all impressive and appears still a little backward in form.

NORFOLK HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

With a series of the entrants being reserved for the Sub. St. Leger, I think Coronation Day should be about the best one to follow in this race, which is from the 2 Mile Post. This chestnut has been coming on quite a bit recently and the weight, 142 lbs., is very much in her favour.

Valorous has been close on several occasions and will have to be reckoned with. This grey finished very well at the last meeting after having a none too clear run all the way round. Plain View did a nice gallop on Wednesday morning and seems to have recovered a little lost form. Estover is another possible starter that should not be neglected.

If Golden Cow is started here instead of in the St. Leger, this chestnut may be worth a small investment each way. For punters looking for a "long shot" I recommend Wadebridge, as this ex-champion sub is improving with every gallop and may be the one to create an upset.

SUB-GRIFFINS ST. LEGER

Salvage Master should have no difficulty in accounting for the other contenders in this 1 1/4 mile race, for as far as I can see, this pony appears to have improved further in condition since last raced. Dekko is expected to run close, but good as this chestnut is, I fear he will have to be content with one of the minor positions.

The remaining place should be fought out between Golden Cow and Fel Ying, with the chances slightly in favour of the former. Final Triumph seems to be short of work, while Piet Hein will probably find the distance beyond his powers of endurance.

QUEENSLAND HANDICAP

The pit-bit of the meeting, from a racing viewpoint, will undoubtedly be this mile contest for "A" Class Australian ponies. One can hardly eliminate any of the entrants as being out of the running and there should be some very even betting on the pari-mutuel.

My fancy at the moment is Courting Eve, as the distance should suit this bay more admirably. Strathroy (Colson) should benefit by the 5 lbs. allowance but this brown may not strip in top condition and therefore cannot be too strongly recommended.

Electron has a good chance while Centre Court should still be able to make a strong bid for the honours. Lancashire Chips does not look at her best but may still be capable of running into a place. Double Finesse has been doing some extraordinary fast gallops during the past month and may just last out the mile. A Grand Time also came into prominence with an impressive try-out last Wednesday morning.

NORFOLK HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

There is really nothing outstanding in this event and from past performances Tempest, Diogenes and Good Morning are the most likely ones to be in front at the end of the race. Personally, I believe it will result in a struggle between the former two as Good Morning may find the distance too long. Gold Sovereign is also in fairly good condition and may beat the favourites. Racing Boy is a probable starter, after a long absence but his form is not very encouraging, despite a fairly good gallop last Saturday. Emergency Call (158 lbs.) has been whippersnapper as a likely winner but I think the weight will prove to be too much. Double Chance has not been too well served in the jockey department lately, but if an experienced and capable rider is given the mount, this dun will be the best outsider to follow.

FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER

King's Privilege has undergone extensive and special training for this classic and this bay mare will be prominent. She has done several exceptionally fast mile gallops recently and is looking in fine fettle. Tornado Star is the real danger as this chestnut has proved to be a stayer and ran a good fourth with 165 lbs. at the last meeting.

Lucky Lad is the other fancied pony and has a fair chance. Of the others, Annabella is about the best, as this candidate was second in the Rooter Hill Derby at the Annual Race Meeting.

However, she gave a wretched display two weeks ago and was nowhere in the picture. Murray River is strongly fancied in some quarters but I am afraid the distance will beat her.

PADDOCK HANDICAP

Those fortunate enough to back the winner in the first leg of the Daily Double will find it a difficult task to correctly pick the final leg, as this half mile sprint for Novice Jockeys is a very open affair.

On training performances and in view of having the services of one of the best novices, Tabby Cat (K. L. P.) should annex this event. This dun was prominent last Saturday morning when the last try-out was covered in a fraction inside 2:12. Atomic Star is also in excellent condition and will do well if taken out by one of the better novice riders.

Flybynight still seems on the heavy side but this brown is quite deceiving at times and may give a much better display to-morrow.

Easy Time, Wenning, Cape Comorin and Dark Hazard are fair performers, with outside chances. Yum Sing may be close up if fit.

ITALIAN DIPLOMATIC RESHUFFLE

Rome, Nov. 3.
The impending appointment of Signor Guariglia, Italian Ambassador to Buenos Aires, to the post of Italian Ambassador to France, which has been vacant for one and a half years, has been a signal for further changes in Italy's diplomatic representation. Changes are also expected in Washington, Rio de Janeiro, Bucharest and The Hague.

Signor Lojazono, Ambassador to Rio de Janeiro and former envoy to China, will be transferred to Buenos Aires, and Count Ascanio Colonne, relative to the Governor of Rome, will go to Washington.

Transocean.

ATHLETIC MEET IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Nov. 3.
Japanese plans are under way for an athletic meet to be held here in the middle of the month for local German, Italian and Japanese youths, according to Japanese press reports.—Reuter.

WORLD AFFAIRS

POLAND SETS OUT TO TEACH A LESSON

And Britain Would Do Well To Follow Suit

SOME PEOPLE IN OUR COUNTRY seem to think that we would do well to learn the lesson which Poland has done her best to teach us," said Mr. H. Wickham Steed in the course of his talk in the World Affairs series, broadcast from Daventry last night. Mr. Wickham Steed was speaking on the situation in Central Europe.

The speaker began by saying that there were times when it was easier to be silent on world affairs than to speak about them, not for the lack of anything to say but because there was so much to talk about. This applied to the situation in Central Europe.

MR. WICKHAM STEED said that while some reports have it that the German occupation of parts of Czechoslovakia far exceeded expectations, others had it that it was less extensive than was at first thought. In this connection he mentioned that the Lord Mayor's Fund, opened in London, could help greatly to relieve the situation and this alone testified to the sympathy held in Great Britain for the Czechoslovaks affected by the occupation.

RAILWAYS CUT

The speaker went on to say that one of the most serious aspects of the case was that the areas occupied by Germany cut through all the important railways and trunk roads, thus necessitating the construction of new railways and trunk roads. The British loan of £10,000,000 could help greatly in this direction.

One cheerful aspect, however, was that the Czechoslovaks were not doomed by the occupation and they had enough with which to carry on. Here the Governments who would have been affected by the complete breakdown of the Czechoslovaks, had that come about, should help them in every way possible.

ITALIAN VIEW

Mr. Wickham Steed then went on to say that Italy, who favoured a Hungarian demands, might favour a Hungarian-Polish pact but Germany would not look upon such with favour, for despite the

but I have not seen this grey for several weeks and presume he does his work very early in the mornings.

SUSSEX HANDICAP

Wild Life (158 lbs.) has been allotted top weight, but will be near winning if started. However, I am told this grey is being kept over for the St. Andrew's Stakes, in which case I expect King's Coronation to carry off the honours.

Elizabeth is a handy flyer over six furlongs and will be hard to catch, while both Potentate and Rob Roy (whichever Mr. Encarnacion picks) are quite capable of doing the trick. Cosack's Beauty, Soldier of Britain, Dawn Star, Commencement Bay and Expansion Time are other probable starters. The first two named are recommended to those looking for better money.

Final selections for the meeting will appear in to-morrow morning's issue of the "Hongkong Daily Press."

TREMENDOUS FAITH IN FUTURE OF CHINA

Youth Need Training, Says Mrs. Charlotte Haldane

Kunming, November 3.
"I HAVE TREMENDOUS FAITH IN THE FUTURE OF CHINA," declared Mrs. Charlotte Haldane, wife of Professor J. B. S. Haldane, and special correspondent of the "Daily Herald" in an interview with Reuter to-day before leaving Kunming on her return journey to England.

During the past two months she has been touring "free China" visiting women's associations.

"If China can hold out for another two months I believe the tide will turn in her favour," declared Mrs. Haldane, who praised Madame Chiang Kai-shek's work particularly the training of women for patriotic service.

Mrs. Haldane also spoke enthusiastically of Dr. Robert Lim, Director of the Chinese Red Cross. "China's youth need training," said Mrs. Haldane. "May I put it this way. Too many people are willing to see for China, too few know how to live for China. China's students and young people need training. They need to know how to use their hands."—Reuter.

National Register Adopted

London, Nov. 3.

The Government has decided to adopt a National Register for voluntary civilian services for home defence.

Sir John Anderson, Lord Privy Seal, will most likely be responsible for deciding the best way to carry out this decision.

Special recruiting officers may be established, or volunteers may register as Town Halls and Council Offices throughout the country.—Reuter.

PRIZES FOR SOVIET AIRWOMEN

Moscow, Nov. 3.

Three airwomen have received the title of "Hero of the Soviet Union" and a cash prize of £11,000 each.

It will be recalled that a plane, believed to be that of the three Soviet airwomen who disappeared on a non-stop flight from Moscow to the Far East, was located on October 2 about 15 miles from Lake Amutskit, about 100 miles north of Komsomolsk.—Reuter and Special.

The Lord Mayor's fund for the Czechoslovak refugees amounts to £273,000, says British Wireless.

Mr. Eden Makes Strong Appeal For National Unity

REFERS TO URGENT NEED FOR PRESSING AHEAD REARMAMENT

LONDON, November 3.
A STRONG APPEAL FOR NATIONAL UNITY, irrespective of Party, has been made by Mr. Anthony Eden, former Foreign Secretary.

In a letter to his constituents, Mr. Eden declares, "We cannot realise the fullest possible increase in national strength even in the material sphere of armaments unless we are agreed on both the objective of the policy for which these armaments are needed and the lines of approach to that objective which is just and enduring peace."

Mr. Eden refers to the urgent need for pressing ahead rearmament especially in respect of air armament and anti-aircraft defence, and added that it is not possible to greatly accelerate the present rate of rearmament unless steps are taken to mobilise industry.

Mr. Eden concludes his letter by saying that nothing is impossible if the determination is there.—Reuter.

CALENDAR TO BE REVISED

Shanghai, Nov. 3.

The Peiping provisional government and the Nanking reformed government plan to revise their calendar, according to a Japanese report from Nanking. The new calendar, officials state, will designate seven official holidays, including the Double Tenth.—Reuter.

which started shelling us at 2 p.m. The bombardment ceased at 4.30 p.m. when the Cantabria began to sink.—Transocean.

General Wu Te-chen On Future Resistance

Lienhsien, Kwangtung, November 3.
SPEAKING AT THE FIRST weekly memorial meeting of the Kwangtung Provincial Government since its removal here, General Wu Te-chen, Chairman of the Province, exhorted his subordinates to spare no efforts in the development of Kwangtung's rural areas in order to help push the resistance plan. He pointed out that China's main source of power in her future resistance is in the rural districts.

Reminding them of their responsibility of national reconstruction, he asked the youths of China not to shrink from their duties.—Central News.

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AMERICAN CHINESE HELP MOTHERLAND

UNOFFICIAL PARTICIPATION IN SAN FRANCISCO FAIR

Huge Donations Revealed

More than \$25,000,000 (Chinese Currency) has been contributed by overseas Chinese in North and South America for refugee relief, medical aid and other patriotic purposes since the commencement of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, according to Mr. Fong Gam-toone, prominent Chinese newspaper proprietor of San Francisco, who arrived here by the Philippine Clipper on Wednesday.

In the United States alone, Mr. Fong says, at least \$17,000,000 has been contributed by the Chinese there.

Practically every one of the 80,000 Chinese residents in the United States gave his or her share towards helping China in the present struggle, according to Mr. Fong. They engaged in propaganda work, launched fund-raising campaigns and purchased medicines. The Chinese in San Francisco held a gigantic "China Town Night" during the summer, in which more than 300,000 Chinese and Americans participated, and collected a huge sum of money.

Referring to the San Francisco Exposition to be opened on February 18 next, for which he is here to collect exhibits and look for a Chinese beauty as hostess, Mr. Fong says that the Chinese in America decided to participate in it unofficially since China has declined to take part owing to the present hostilities.

A "China Village" occupying an area of 90,000 square feet in the Exposition grounds will be built. There will be, among other things, a Chinese theatre, a Chinese restaurant, a native foods show, and a seven-storey pagoda. The whole village, patterned after old Chinese architectural designs, will entail a total cost of \$200,000.

After an absence of more than 20 years, Mr. Fong has returned to China for the first time. Owing to the hostilities, he will not proceed to the interior but will stay in Hongkong. He is expected to stay here for two months before returning to America, says Central News.

ENGLISH SOCCER XI AGAINST WALES

London, Nov. 3.

The following will represent the English in a football match against Wales at Edinburgh on November 9:—

Brown (Clyde); Anderson (Hearts); A. Beattie (Preston); Shankly (Preston); Baxter (Middlesbrough); Miller (Hearts); Delaney (Celtic); Walker (Hearts); McCulloch (Derby); R. Beattie (Preston) and Gillick (Everton).—Reuter.

NO INCIDENTS

Hankow, Nov. 3.

Celebrations in observance of the late Emperor Meiji's birthday have taken place so far without any incidents. The streets are deserted but squadrons of Japanese planes are continually flying overhead.—Reuter.

ARMY BOXING

ROYAL SCOTS BEAT THE LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS

Novices Tournament Conclude At Murray Barracks

Both the Royal Scots and the Lancashire Fusiliers were well represented in the large audience that applauded six fights in the Royal Scots' Inter-Company Novices Boxing Championships and three special contests between Scots' and Fusiliers' boxers at the Murray Barracks last night.

The prizes were presented to the winners and runners-up by Major MacDougall, M.C., Officer Commanding the Battalion, who announced that a special prize was being presented to the winner of the bantam-weight title, a belt won by L/Sgt. Evans, now Q.M.S. Evans, when he became the feather-weight champion of Scotland.

The three representatives of the Lancs. Fusiliers put up good fights, although they won only one of them, but the Scots' title bouts produced the best battles. No quarter was given or accepted in six encounters where hard-hitting was the order of the day.

The results:—
Bantam: Pte. Hall "C" beat Pte. Cochran "C".
Catch: Pte. Hart "D" beat Lieut. Patterson "C".
Feather: L/Cpl. Octon "H.Q." ko. Pte. Rompen "C".
Light: Pte. Scott "C" t.k.o. Pte. Bankier "D".
Middle: Pte. Moore "C" beat Pte. Wallace "C".

Welter: Pte. Melkie "B" t.k.o. Pte. Quinn "H.Q."

"C" Company won the Inter-Company Cup with 78 points, the other Companies finishing as follows:—
"E" 58, "H.Q." 48, "A" 22, and "D" 14.

In the special contests, the Lancs. Fusiliers won the first bout when L/Cpl. Jones won on points from L/Cpl. Ritchie. The Royal Scots won the other two fights, also on points. Bdm. Emerson winning from Cpl. Skelton, and Pte. Scott from L/Cpl. Lawler.

The prize for the best fight put up by a loser was awarded to Pte. Wallace.



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ARMY CRICKET XI FOR TO-MORROW

The following will represent the Army 1st XI in a friendly cricket match against Club de Rezerve at Sookumpoo to-morrow at 2 p.m.:

Capt. Godby, Major Murray, Major Wymers, Lieut. Cliff, Lieut. Weedon, Sergt. Eatwell, Sergt. Baker, Cpl. Webb, Driver Logan, Pte. Coombes and Pte. Hatfield.

ADVERTISEMENT

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB

The Race Meeting advertised to take place at Macao, on Sunday, the 13th instant, will be conducted on Saturday, November 12th instead, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

By order,
S. W. CHENG,
Secretary.

1938

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 5th November, 1938, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The first Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, Exchange Building (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 NOON.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Telephone 21926).

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including tax for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors of the United Kingdom are admitted Half Price.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 31st October, 1938.

THIS WEEK'S WINNERS IN HOME FOOTBALL

"Telescore" Selects Them For "Daily Press" Readers

The following are the Home football fixtures for the week-end with the probable winners given in capital type.

Each Friday "Telescore" picks the winners for Hongkong followers of this great winter game, the forecast for to-morrow being as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION	
ARSENAL	Leeds U.
ASTON VILLA	Manchester U.
Blackpool	Charlton A.
Brentford	BOLTON W.
DERBY CO.	Preston North End.
EVERTON	Middlesbrough.
Grimby T.	Chelsea.
HUDDERSFIELD T.	Leicester C.
Portsmouth	Liverpool.
*SUNDERLAND	Stoke C.
WOLVES	Birmingham.

SECOND DIVISION	
BLACKBURN R.	Coventry C.
Bradford	Burnley.
Bury	W. Brom A.
CHESTERFIELD	Plymouth A.
FULHAM	Notts F.
Manchester C.	Tottenham H.
MILLWALL	Southampton.
SHEFFIELD W.	Newcastle U.
Swansea T.	SHEFFIELD U.
Tranmere R.	Luton C.
WEST HAM U.	Norwich C.

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)	
Carlisle U.	BARNLEY.
Crews A.	Oldham A.
DARLINGTON	Accrington S.
DONCASTER R.	N. Brighton.
GATESHEAD	Lincoln C.
Hartlepool U.	STOCKPORT CO.
Rochdale	CHESTER.
ROTHAMHAM U.	Barrow.
SOUTHPORT	Halifax T.
Wrexham	Hull C.
*YORK C.	Bradford C.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)	
ALDERSHOT	Mansfield T.
Bristol C.	QUEEN'S PARK R.
CLAPTON O.	Bristol R.
CRYSTAL PALACE	Southend U.
Newport Co.	Brighton.
NORTHAMPTON T.	Bournemouth.
NOTTS CO.	Walsall.
PORT VALE	Cardiff C.
SWINDON T.	Ipswich T.
Torquay U.	READING.
WATFORD	Exeter C.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION	
ABERDEEN	Hamilton A.
Albion R.	RANGERS.
Arbroath	Third Lanark.
CELTIC	Ayr U.
HIBERNIAN	Falkirk.
KILMARNOCK	Rath R.
Partick Thistle	Motherwell.
Queen of the South	Hearts.
Queen's Park	CLYDE.
ST. MIRREN	St. Johnstone.

*Indicates "Derby" Games.
(League Tables on Back Page)

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

BASKETBALL—Students' league. Hongkong senior division, Fong Lam v. Pui Ying, 4.30 p.m. Junior division, King's v. Sai Nam B, 4.30 p.m.

BRIDGE—Cheero Club Bridge Evening.

SWIMMING—Mixed. Swimming in European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Pool.

TO-MORROW

BASKETBALL—Students' league. First division, King's v. Wah Nam, 3.30 p.m.; St. Paul's v. Queen's, 4.30 p.m.; Junior division, Pui Ying v. Fong Lam, 3.30 p.m.; Sai Nam A v. St. Paul's, 4.30 p.m. Kowloon Junior division, Man Far v. Yau-mat.

CRICKET—First division, Craigengower v. Press, Indians v. Hongkong, Army v. Reclero; Second division Kowloon v. Diocesan Boys, Police v. Indians, Reclero v. Central British.

FOOTBALL—First Division: St. Joseph's v. Royal Scots, Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m. Referee, Hooper. Linemen, McGilver and Gamble. Middlesex v. South China, "B" (Sookumpoo), 4.15 p.m. Referee, Moloney. Linemen, Edwards and Welsh. Kowloon v. Police (Kowloon), 4.15 p.m. Referee, Clarke. Linemen, Demise and Smith. Club v. Kwong Wah (Club), 4.15 p.m. Referee, Ip. Linemen, Sutterley and McLaughlan. Second Division: Middlesex v. R.A.O.C. (Sookumpoo), 2.45 p.m. Referee, MacCormac. South China v. Kwong Wah, (Caroline Hill), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Hinchcliffe. Kowloon v. Police (Kowloon), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Finch. Club v. R. Engineers (Club), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Silva. St. Joseph's v. R. Scots (Military), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Aylwin. Third Division (B): R.A.F. v. Medicals (P.E. Road), 4.15 p.m. Referee, Phillips. University v. A.S.A. (Chatham Road), 4.15 p.m. Referee, Stone. Signals v. Kumam R. Rifles (P.E. Road), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Dove. Stonecutters W/T v. 24th Bty. R.A. (Chatham Road), 2.45 p.m. Referee, Sumerville.

GOLF—Captain's Cup competition (Fanning).

RACING—Tenth extra meeting (Happy Valley), 2 p.m.

ROGUEY—Club A v. Army (Navy), 3 p.m. Club v. Navy (Navy), 3 p.m.

TENNIS—Entries close for mixed doubles championship.

YACHTING—24th Commodore's cup series.

MACAO JOCKEY CLUB

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ENGLAND BEATS SCOTLAND

London, Nov. 3. At Wolverhampton, yesterday, the English Soccer League deservedly beat the Scottish League by three goals to one.

The English defence had the measure of the Scottish forwards and always looked more dangerous. Boyes scored twice for the English League, the first goal coming after a quarter of an hour and at half-time the Englishmen led 2-0.

Dix, who was the best man on the field, scored the third goal for England soon after the interval. Walker got the Scots' goal from a penalty before the end.

A crowd of 35,000 spectators watched the game in sunny weather. —Reuter.

SHANGHAI LAWN BOWLERS HOME

An Appreciation Of Hosts

The victorious Shanghai Lawn Bowls Interport side returned to Shanghai in the Wingsang, coming up to the Customs Jetty by launch with the Shanghai and Hongkong Lawn Bowls Association flags hoisted and the Prentice Cup still in their possession.

An informal gathering was held at the Lawn Bowls Club when Mr. W. J. Monk, the Association President, took the opportunity of congratulating the captain and his men upon their success.

Mr. Hugh Wallace, in a brief reply stated that he credited their victory to the team spirit which had prevailed throughout rather than to individual play.

All members of the team commented upon the marvellous hospitality and the arrangements which had been made and carried through so smoothly.

SAILING RACE FOR AH KING CUP

The first of the series of the Royal Naval Sailing Association's races for the Ah King Cup was sailed off on Wednesday and resulted as follows:—1, Giza (Lieut. Medd); 2, Dunlin (Lieut. Whitworth); 3, Whiteruff (Lieut. Cdr. Hall); 4, Brook (Lieut. Acworth); 5, Cornflower (Mr. Gandy).

UNIVERSITIES' RUGBY WINS

London, Nov. 3. Both the Cambridge and Oxford rugby teams won their matches to-day, the Light Blues beating Guy's Hospital and the Dark Blues defeating the Oxford Greyhounds.

In a County Championship match, Middlesex and Surrey drew, each side scoring ten points.

Results of matches played to-day were:—

Middlesex 10, Surrey 10. (at Richmond).

Guy's Hospital 16, Cambridge U. 27.

Oxford U. 16, Oxford Greyhounds 14.

St. Bart's Hosp. 8, Army XV 31. —Reuter.

LOCAL MATCH

The following trial Army team will play the Club "A" team at Rugby, at Causeway Bay (R.N. ground) to-morrow at 3 p.m.:

Spr. Nouch (R.E.), Pte. Ferguson (Middlesex), Lt. Gudgeon (Middlesex), Spr. Waite (R.E.), Spr. Arthingdale (R.E.), L/C. Boe (Royal Scots), Lt. Kerich (East Surrey), L/C. Boes (Royal Scots), Lt. Hewitt (Middlesex), Pte. Bonsted (R.A.O.C.), Lt. Wallis (East Surrey), Gnr. Evans (5th A.A.), L/Bdr. Page (5th A.A.), Pte. Berry (Middlesex), Lt. Crawford (R.C.S.).

Reserves:—Spr. Pleton (R.E.), Cpl. Barker (Seaford), Spr. Bird (R.E.), Spr. McInerney (R.E.), Spr. Pike (R.E.), 2/Lt. Cuthbertson (Royal Scots).

SENIOR LEAGUE PROSPECTS

INTERESTING MATCHES FOR WEEK-END

Progress Of Kwong Wah Will Be Watched

ROYAL SCOTS SHOULD WIN: KOWLOON TO MEET POLICE

(BY C.I.R.E.)

THE SURPRISE RESULTS of last week-end's Senior League football matches has left me in a quandary as to how to give a forecast for to-morrow and Sunday. Last Saturday there were four upsets, not the least among them being the defeat of St. Joseph's at the hands of the Police who fielded a mixed European and Chinese team for the first time; while on Sunday Kwong Wah delighted their supporters with an odd-goal win over Eastern, a truly fine effort.

THE PROGRESS OF THE Kwong Wah team, newcomers to the Senior division, is being watched with great interest. Prior to their match against Eastern, Kwong Wah's record was as follows:—v. Navy 1-1; v. South China "B" 0-2; v. Royal Scots 5-5; v. Kowloon 0-6; v. Middlesex 0-2. With their win over the strong Eastern side the electricians now have four points to their credit and their future encounters will command even greater attention.

Perhaps it is traditional or just "an old Kowloon custom" but it was not altogether unexpected Kowloon's win was a pleasant surprise. Meanwhile at the Valley, Club piled six goals against the Royal Scots who replied with one. Fred Fowler was in fine form and found the net no less than five times, and I consider this a very good afternoon's work for any forward. Club's results have varied a lot so far having, drawn with St.

Forecast For Week-end

SATURDAY

Division I.
St. Joseph's v. ROYAL SCOTS.
KOWLOON v. Police.
Club v. Kwong Wah.

Division II.
MIDDLESEX v. R.A.O.C.
SOUTH CHINA v. Kwong Wah.
KOWLOON v. Police.
Club v. ENGINEERS.
ST. JOSEPH'S v. Royal Scots.

Division III. (A)
Royal Scots v. P.W.D.
Kit Chee v. 5TH R.A.

Division III. (B)
R.A.F. v. Medicals.
University v. A.S.A.
Signals v. Kumam R.
STONECUTTERS v. 24th R.A.

SUNDAY

Division I.
Eastern v. NAVY.

Division II.
Eastern v. 5th R.A.

Division III. (A)
Electric v. R.A.S.C.
30TH R.A. v. South China.

Division III. (B)
Powhattan v. R.E. (E).

Joseph's, lost to South China "B" and Eastern, and defeated Middlesex.

It was a very wise move on the part of the Police selectors to include Chinese in their senior team. To my mind, this action brought about the revival of the Police team which up to their meeting with the Saints had, not won a single

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LAST TALK ON OPERA

Haydn Symphony

12-12.30 p.m. Relay of a Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Songs by Richard Tauber (Tenor).

"Lady In Love (Tauber-Rotter)—with Orchestra (Sung in German); Indian Love Lyrics (Hope-Wood-Jorde-Finden); Till I Wake; Kashmiri Song—with Piano accompaniment by Percy Khan Khan.

12.40 p.m. Light Symphony Orchestra.

Springtime Suite (Eric Coates): 1. Fresh Morning (Pastorale), 2. Noonday Song (Romance), 3. Dance In The Twilight (Valse)—conducted by the Composer; Mon Reve (Waltz); Bal Masque (Fletcher).

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends and The Mills Brothers.

Remember? Intro: You forget to remember; My heart stood still; I'll see you again; My blue heaven; Can't help lovin' that man; This year's kisses.—Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; Put On Your Old Grey Bonnet (Murphy and Wenrich); Sleepy Head (Film Operator 13); The Mills Brothers; The Hit Parade—Film Selection; Wake Up And Live—Film Selection—Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends; Swing Is The Thing (Mercer, Bloom)—The Mills Brothers; Sleepytime Down South (L. and O. Rane and Muse); Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries (Brown and Henderson)—Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

1.30 p.m. "Reuter" and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Mendelssohn—Octet In E Flat Major, Op. 20.

Played by the International String Octet.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) One Song; (b) If Dreams come true; (c) I'm wishing; (d) Riffin' at the Ritz.

6.14 p.m. Record: The Squirrel Dance (E. Smith); Dance Of The Paper Dolls (Tucker, Schuster and Strasi)—Xylophone Solo by Rudy Starita with Piano and Accordion.

6.21 p.m. (a) Please be kind; (b) Says my heart; (c) It's wonderful; (d) Rockin' the town.

6.35 p.m. Record: Musical Sweethearts. Intro: Polly; Dinah; Hula; Dainty Miss; Miss Annabelle Lee; Somebody stole by Gal—H. Robinson Cleaver at the Organ of the Union Cinemas "Regal" Baxley Heath; Blaze Away (Kennedy and Holzmann)—Eddie Peabody playing his Banjo, Guitar, Mandoline and Mando—Cello with Own Vocal Refrain and Piano.

6.44 p.m. (a) Loving you; (b) Something to sing about; (c) Sweet as a Song; (d) Lullaby in Rhythm.

7 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.02 p.m. Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Pirates of Penzance."

Oh, Men Of Dark And Dismal Fate (Finale, Act 1)—George Baker and Full Chorus; You May Go, For You're At Liberty (Finale, Act 1)—Full Company; A Rollicking Band Of Pirates We—Leo Sheffield and Male Chorus; With Cat-Like Tread—Stuart Robertson and Male Chorus; Hush, Hush!—D. Oldham, G. Baker and Chorus; Softly Sighing (Finale, Act 2)—G. Baker and Male Chorus; Now What Is This, And What Is That? (Finale Act 2)

—George Baker, Derek Oldham, Elsie Griffin and Full Chorus; To Gain A Brief Advantage (Finale, Act 2)—Leo Sheffield, Peter Dawson, George Baker, Elsie Griffin, Dorothy Gill and Full Chorus. 1.27 p.m. Marcel Palotti at the Organ.

Feramos—Dance Of The Brides Of Kashmir (Rubinstein); La Danza (Rossini); Jan Klepura Film Melodies. Intro: My song for you; My heart is calling; I love them all; My heart is calling; Tell me to-night.

7.40 p.m. Hawaiian Selections Hawaii Sing To Me—A Hawaiian Lullaby (Mills); My Man—Hawaiian Novelty (Gopplau, Camp and Noble)—Andy Iona and His Islanders with vocal Quartette; Mauna Loa (Alex Dale); Aloha Beloved (Howard-Long-Carfield)—Kanni and Lula; Sweet Hawaiian Maid (Johnson); Hawaiian Paradise (Owens)—Andy Iona and His Islanders with vocal Chorus.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Yehudi Menuhin (Violin).

Dance Espagnole ("La Vida Breve"—De Falla—Kreiser); Minstrels (Debussy); Flight Of The Dumb-Bee (Rimsky-Korsakov-Hartman)—with Piano accomp. by Arthur Balsam.

8.10 p.m. Studio—A talk on the Work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul by Father Gallagher.

8.20 p.m. Cesar Franck—Choral No. 1 In E Major For Organ.

Played by Albert Schweitzer.

8.37 p.m. Studio—The Chairman.

8.40 p.m. Studio—Rev. C. B. R. Sargent—100th Series of Opera; "The Cream of My Collection"

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Liszt—Sonata In B Minor.

Played by Vladimir Horowitz (Piano).

10.17 p.m. Haydn—Symphony No. 6 In G Major ("Surprise" Symphony).

Boston Symphony Orchestra conducted by Serge Koussevitzky.

10.45 p.m. London Relay—The Real Guy Fawkes.

A talk based on historical records by A. P. Newton, D. Litt.

11 p.m. Close down.

ROYAL TRIBUTE TO WAR DEAD

British Commission In Italy

King Victor Emmanuel recently received Field-Marshal the Earl of Cavan, Major-General Sir Fabian Ware, Gen. Sir George Macdonogh, and members of the Imperial War Graves Commission, who have been visiting the British war cemeteries in Italy.

The visitors drove to San Rossore, the King's summer residence, near Pisa, where Marshal C. Aglia, an old comrade-in-arms of Lord Cavan, presented them to the King. Later he and Queen Elena entertained them to tea.

Lord Cavan and the other members of the party saw Signor Mussolini and afterwards flew to Turin to catch the Rome-Paris express.

Later, they attended a meeting of the Anglo-Italian Mixed Committee of the Imperial War Graves Commission at the Italian United Services Club. The Earl of Perth, British Ambassador in Rome, was present.

PLANE DROPPED FLOWERS

The Commission began its visit to the five British cemeteries on the Asiago Plateau Vicenza. The members have seen the graves of 2,364 identified and 57 unidentified soldiers, and have laid wreaths in Italian war cemeteries.

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10.20—Wheat and Grain Reports (A).

10.45—"At Home and Abroad" (A).

11.10—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

1.00 p.m. — Broadcast to Schools—"Adventures In Music," by Lindley Evans (A).

2.20—Tiny Tot's Session (A).

3.00—"Empire Exchange" (DI).

3.15—The Westminster Players (DI).

3.45—Carroll Gibbons at the Piano (DI).

4.30—"At Home and Abroad" (A).

4.50—News (DI).

5.00—Sporting News and Notes (A).

5.20—National News and Commentary (A).

6.00—"Friday Specials in Rhythm"—Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance Band (A).

6.30—Desmond Tanner at the Electric Organ (A).

6.45—Reginald Cross, at Organ of Gaumont Palace Cinema (D2).

7.10—Recorded Music (A).

7.15—"The Thin Red Line"—Chronicles of Famous Regiments—"The Grenadier Guards," by Arthur Bryant (D2).

8.00—Musical Programme (A).

8.15—Dance Music (D2).

9.00—"Food for Thought" (D2).

9.30—News (D2).

10.00—The B.B.C. Theatre Organ (D3).

10.15—Scottish Studio Orchestra (D3).

10.45—"The Real Guy Fawkes," by A.P. Newton (D3).

11.00—"Sing-Song" (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.30—The Westminster Players (D3).

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teries, where 91 British soldiers are buried.

They were enthusiastically welcomed all along the roads by crowds of country folk, and at the cemeteries they were received with great hospitality, by deputations of the associations of war mothers and widows, juvenile Fascist organisations and the disabled soldiers' association.

The Italian officers placed wreaths on the crosses of remembrance in all the cemeteries. At Montecchio, Marshal Cavaglia placed a wreath on the cross while an aeroplane dropped flowers over the graves. At all places the people cried "Pace, pace" (peace, peace) as they saw the British Commission.

At Monte Belluno the party visited the villa at Franzuolli, which was Lord Cavan's headquarters when he commanded the British Expeditionary Force in Italy.

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Itogon

Development, advance at Itogon Mining Company during the past month amounted to 3,952 feet. Of the 2,384 feet of capital advance, 442 feet were in ore, as were 770 feet of the 1,568 feet of operating advance.

Production for the company amounted to Pesos 339,537.06 from 30,314 tons of ore treated. Recovery per ton was Pesos 11.20 while extraction was 86.23 per cent. The output was somewhat higher than that of August.

United Paracale

Development advance at United Paracale totaled 1,588 feet, 93 feet capital and 653 operating advance. Of the capital footage 256 feet were in ore, as were 140 feet of the operating development.

The company produced Peco 223,403.78 from 9,418 tons of ore treated. Recovery per ton was Pesos 23.72, while extraction was 89.79 per cent.

Coco Grove

At the Coco Grove mine, the dredger "Mary August" handled 187,605 cubic yards of gravel from which Pesos 53,073.74 was produced. Production totaled Pesos 92,012.03, which is lower than that for the previous month in accordance with estimates, since both dredges were working in low grade ground.

Suyoc Consolidated

The development advance at Sycoc Consolidated was 1,386 feet, 966 feet of capital and 420 feet of operating advance. Of the capital advance 77 feet were in ore and were 15 feet of the operating development.

The company's mill treated 6,500 tons of ore during the month from which Pesos 145,558.10 was recovered, a recovery per ton of Pesos 22.39. Extraction was 88 per cent.

Gold Star

Gold Star Mining Company made its second shipment of iron ore October 13 on the s. s. Binna. The shipment amounted to 3,500 tons, the ore being loaded at its port, Balanacan. The company is now shipping iron ore twice a month.

Szechuen Notes

(FROM OUR OWN
CORRESPONDENT)

With a view to reclaim frontier lands in the southwest and northwest, General Lung Yun and Messrs. Cheng Kuo-fu, Liu Tse-chien and others have sponsored the organization of the Hwa Hsi (West China) Reclamation Company, capitalized at \$10,000,000. A preparatory office has been established and capital of more than \$3,000,000 has been subscribed.

Native banks in Chungking are considering the possibility of conducting joint business, and discussion in this matter have been going on for some time.

For storage of foodstuffs in this Province, a loan of \$1,200,000 has been granted by the Agriculture Bureau to the Food Control Committee.

Five cotton mills, Ta Cheng, Yu Feng, Ho Chi, Yu Hua, and Shen Hsin, which have moved to Shensi, have been chosen from the war areas. are constructing buildings and will resume operations next spring.

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Snuff, lbs.	2,996,443	3,009,478	2,741,395
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Cigarettes	104,821,541,110	108,482,721,754	100,817,959,250
Cigars	3,278,764,131	3,472,189,280	3,282,080,287
Mfgd. tob. lbs.	202,656,155	203,430,612	207,368,270
Snuff, lbs.	24,093,827	24,050,897	25,265,806

Cigarette production in the United States during August surpassed all previous totals as it rebounded sharply from the low level and widened the increase for the year far over last year's, according to figures compiled by the Department of Commerce at Washington, which amounted to 15,290,072,225 units.

The record production in August was the third time in the history of the industry that more than a million cigarettes had been produced in one month. The previous record totals were noted in June and August of 1937.

Production in August totaled 15,891,588,977 units as compared with 15,097,837,460 for the same month of 1937. Prior to August, the greatest total for a single month's cigarette production was registered in July of last year.

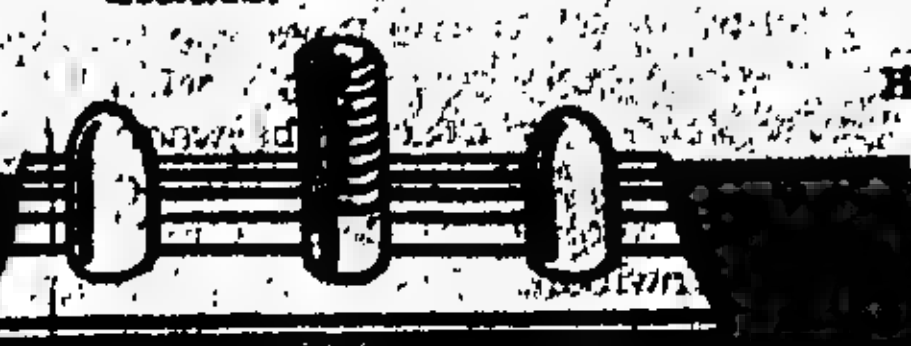
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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 6th Nov. 10 a.m.
HOIHOW, SAIGON & BANGKOK	"KALGAN"	On 7th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW	"ANSUN"	On 7th Nov. 3 p.m.
HOIHOW, FAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"SUIYANG"	On 8th Nov. Noon
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AMOI, CHEU HOOW (HONGKONG only) & SHANGHAI	"SZECHUEN"	On 8th Nov. 4 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"HOIHOW"	On 10th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"MUNAM"	On 10th Nov. 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KINGYUAN"	On 11th Nov. 10 a.m.
KWANGCHOW, (FORT HAYARD) & HAIPHONG	"YCHOW"	On 13th Nov. 2 p.m.
KWANGCHOW, (FORT HAYARD) & HAIPHONG	"YUN'AN"	On 15th Nov. 2 p.m.
SWATOW, SAIGON & BANGKOK	"KWEIYANG"	On 15th Nov. 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"SCHOOW"	On 16th Nov. 6 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"SHANTUNG"	On 16th Nov. 6 p.m.
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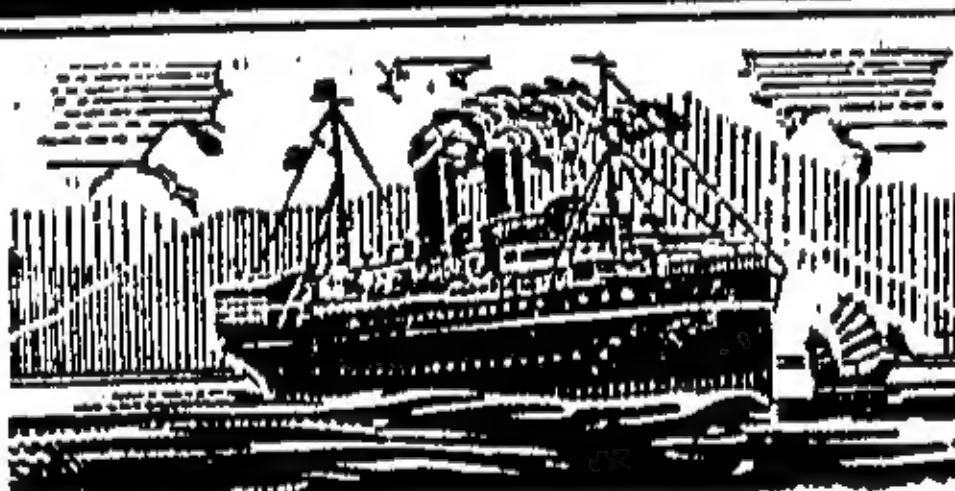
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WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., Nov. 3.

Barometer (at sea level), 30.03 ins.

Temperature, 78 F.

Humidity, 75 per cent.

Wind direction, East.

Wind force (Beaufort), 3.

Temperature: maximum yesterday, 79 F.

Temperature: minimum last night, 73 F.

Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th to-day, 0.00 inches.

Total rainfall since January 1st, 54.31 ins.

Against an average of 52.51 ins.

Sunset to-night, 4.45 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 6.29 a.m.

4 p.m., Nov. 3.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.90 ins.

Temperature, 78 F.

Humidity, 75 per cent.

Wind direction, East.

Wind force (Beaufort), 3.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 4 to 10 Nov. 1938

Day of Week	Date	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Fri.	4	05.51	6.8	00.40	4.3
Sat.	5	05.54	6.9	01.38	3.6
Sun.	6	07.51	6.7	01.34	2.9
Mon.	7	08.48	6.8	02.05	2.2
Tues.	8	09.51	7.7	03.37	1.6
Wed.	9	10.30	8.2	04.50	1.0
Thur.	10	11.24	8.5	06.10	0.4
		22.30	8.6	15.55	0.9

Maximum temperature, 81 F.

Minimum temperature, 73 F.

Rainfall, 0.00 inches.

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NORTHWARD

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Amoy	
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Nov. 5.	
Tsuen Maru, O. S. K., Nov. 5.	
Yatsing, Douglas, Nov. 6.	
Van Heuts, J. C. J. Line, Nov. 6.	
Szechuen, B. & S., Nov. 6.	
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Nov. 14.	
Canton, Maru, O. S. K., Nov. 14.	
Tsindane, J. C. J. Line, Nov. 21.	
Chefoo	
Chekiang, B. & S., Nov. 1.	
Yatsing, Douglas, Nov. 6.	
Tai Sun Hong, Jardine's, Nov. 9.	
Huihow, B. & S., Nov. 10.	
Chakung, Jardine's, Nov. 11.	
Daviken, Thoresen's, Nov. 14.	
Sandviken, Jardine's, Nov. 15.	
Chingwangtao	
Pyrhus, B. & S., Nov. 16.	
Chuanchow	
Haiyang, Douglas, Nov. 6.	
Szechuen, B. & S., Nov. 8.	
Dairen	
Kulmerland, Jensen's, Nov. 12.	
Nordmark, Jensen's, Nov. 15.	
Pyrhus, B. & S., Nov. 16.	
Aller, Melchers, Nov. 20.	

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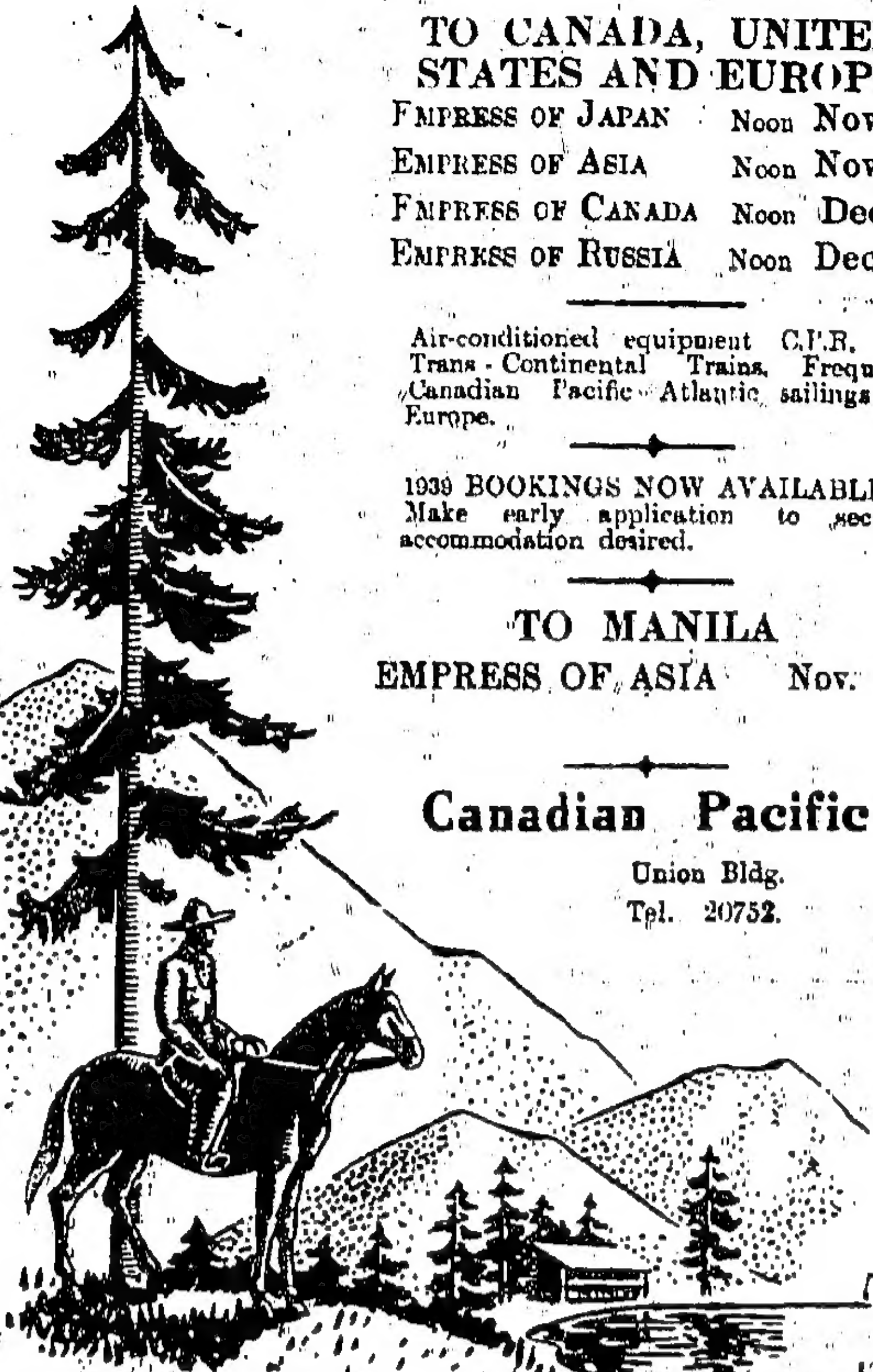
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HUSIMI MARU 21st Nov.

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BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

* NAGATO MARU 26th Nov.

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore.

* TOYOHARI MARU 12th Nov.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

SUWA MARU (via Keelung & Shanghai) 5th Nov.
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DUE TO-DAY

Burdwan, British, 2,878 registered tons, Captain C. R. Mills, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A2, 6 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Brisbane Maru, Japanese, from Japan, at buoy No. A9, a.m.—O. S. K. (Tel. 28061).

Mulnam, Danish, 1,739 registered tons, Captain V. L. Reister, from Singapore and Hoihow, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kiangsu, British, 1,556 registered tons, Captain D. Brothie, from Haiphong, Pakhol and Hoihow, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Hai Yang, British, 1,431 registered tons, Captain W. G. Erwin, from Fochow, Amoy and Swatow, at Douglas Wharf, a.m.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

DUE TO-MORROW

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,706 registered tons, Capt. T. Fujita, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A11, a.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Suwa Maru, Japanese, 6,949 registered tons, Captain M. Mishima, from Europe and Straits, at buoy No. A5, a.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Tyosa Maru, Japanese, 1,556 registered tons, Capt. Takata, from Takao, at buoy B23, a.m.—O. S. K. (Tel. 28061).

Suiyang, British, 1,594 registered tons, Capt. L. V. Rowe, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 registered tons, Capt. I. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, at Saikong Wharf, p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from K. C. Wan, at buoy No. B4, a.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Emp. of Japan, British, 15,725 registered tons, Capt. J. D. Douglas, from Vancouver, Japan and Shanghai, at Kowloon Wharf—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).

Mau Sang, British, 2,063 registered tons, Captain P. Jowitt, from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following vessels were in communication with Hongkong up to 6 p.m. yesterday and communication with them can reasonably be expected to-day:

Yunnan, Hai Yang, Hai Tan, Suwa Maru, Hang Sang, Empress of Japan, Mulnam, Shantung, Esang, Kiangsu, Hong Kheng, Tai Poo Sek, Anhui, Brisbane Maru, Wing Wah, Tyosa Maru, Apoc, Soochow, Gneisenau, Benarty, Burdwan, Sagres, Yat Shing, Yu Sang, Sandviken, President Coedige and Lyemoon.

SAILING TO-DAY

Anna Maersk, Danish, 3,345 registered tons, Capt. Hansen, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila and Hoihow, p.m.—Jensen and Co. (Tel. 31205).

Chekiang, British, 1,313 registered tons, Captain E. G. Benson, from buoy No. B1, for Swatow, Fochow, Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin, 6 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from buoy No. B15, for K. C. Wan, noon.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Nellore, British, 4,291 registered tons, Captain Skinner, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Hobart, 11 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Brisbane Maru, Japanese, from buoy No. A9, for Mombasa, Zanzibar, Dar-es-Salaam, Beira, Lourenco, Marques, Durban, Algoa Bay, Cape Town and South American ports via Singapore and Colombo, p.m.—O. S. K. (Tel. 28061).

Tanda, British, 4,484 registered tons, Captain E. T. Plucher, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, 6 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Capt. J. Bonnamour, from buoy No. B4, for K. C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon—Anna Maersk, Tanda, and Nellore.
Taikoo Sugar R.—Kanchow.
Kowloon Bay—Deslock, Langley, and Yolande Bertin.
Yaumatei—Indira and Shun Chih.

DOCKS

Taiko—Chenonceaux, Kweiyang, Hong Sang and Kaying.
Kowloon—Silverash.
Cosmopolitan Dock—Selstan.

BUOYS

No. A 1—Adrastus.
No. A 3—Shirala.
No. A 4—Tegelberg.
No. A 7—Van Heutsz.
No. B 1—Chekiang.
No. B 3—Kiangchow.
No. B 4—Tai Poo Sek.
No. B 10—Hakone.
No. B 14—Kalgan.
No. B 15—Tsinan.
No. B 20—Talyuan.
No. B 22—Mau Sang.
No. B 25—Tinhong.
No. B 28—Ashworth.
No. C 1—Hiram.

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The R.M.S. Empress of Canada (Canadian Pacific S.S. Limited) arrived at Vancouver on November 2 at 2/4 p.m. and leaves Vancouver on November 12 at 11 a.m. She is due at Hongkong on December 2 in the morning and leaves Hongkong for Manila on the same day in the evening.

The Shanghai Post Office announces that the acceptance by that office of all categories of mail matter for Kuling is now temporarily suspended owing to the interruption of mail lines with that place.

SAILING TO-MORROW

Burdwan, British, 2,878 registered tons, Captain C. R. Mills, from buoy No. A2, for Singapore, Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp, 6 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Shirala, British, 4,672 registered tons, Captain T. S. Beedle, from buoy No. A3, for Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta, 10.30 a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Adrastus, British, 4,948 registered tons, Captain J. M. Anderson, from buoy No. A1, for Manila, Boston and New York via Cape of Good Hope, 11 a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,706 registered tons, Captain T. Fujita, from buoy No. A11, for Singapore, London, Marseilles and Naples via Suez, noon—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Suwa Maru, Japanese, 6,949 registered tons, Captain M. Mishima, from buoy No. A5, for Keelung, Shanghai, Yokohama and Kobe, 5 p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Kiangchow, British, 1,545 registered tons, Captain J. H. Hodgkiss, from buoy No. B3, for Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong, 2 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Tegelberg, Dutch, 8,874 registered tons, Capt. Jansen, from buoy No. A4, for Manila, Saigon, Bangkok (Koh-Si-Chang), Singapore, Batavia, Rodriguez, Mauritius, Reunion, Tamatave, Lourenco Marques, Durban, Capetown, Mosselbay, Port Elizabeth, East London, Zanzibar and Mombasa, 5 p.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Hakone, British, 1,220 registered tons, Captain W. Anderson, from buoy No. B10, for Saigon, 6 p.m.—Wo Fat Sing (Tel. 20005).

SAILED YESTERDAY

Gneisenau for Shanghai.
Soochow for Swatow.
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Heldis for Macao.
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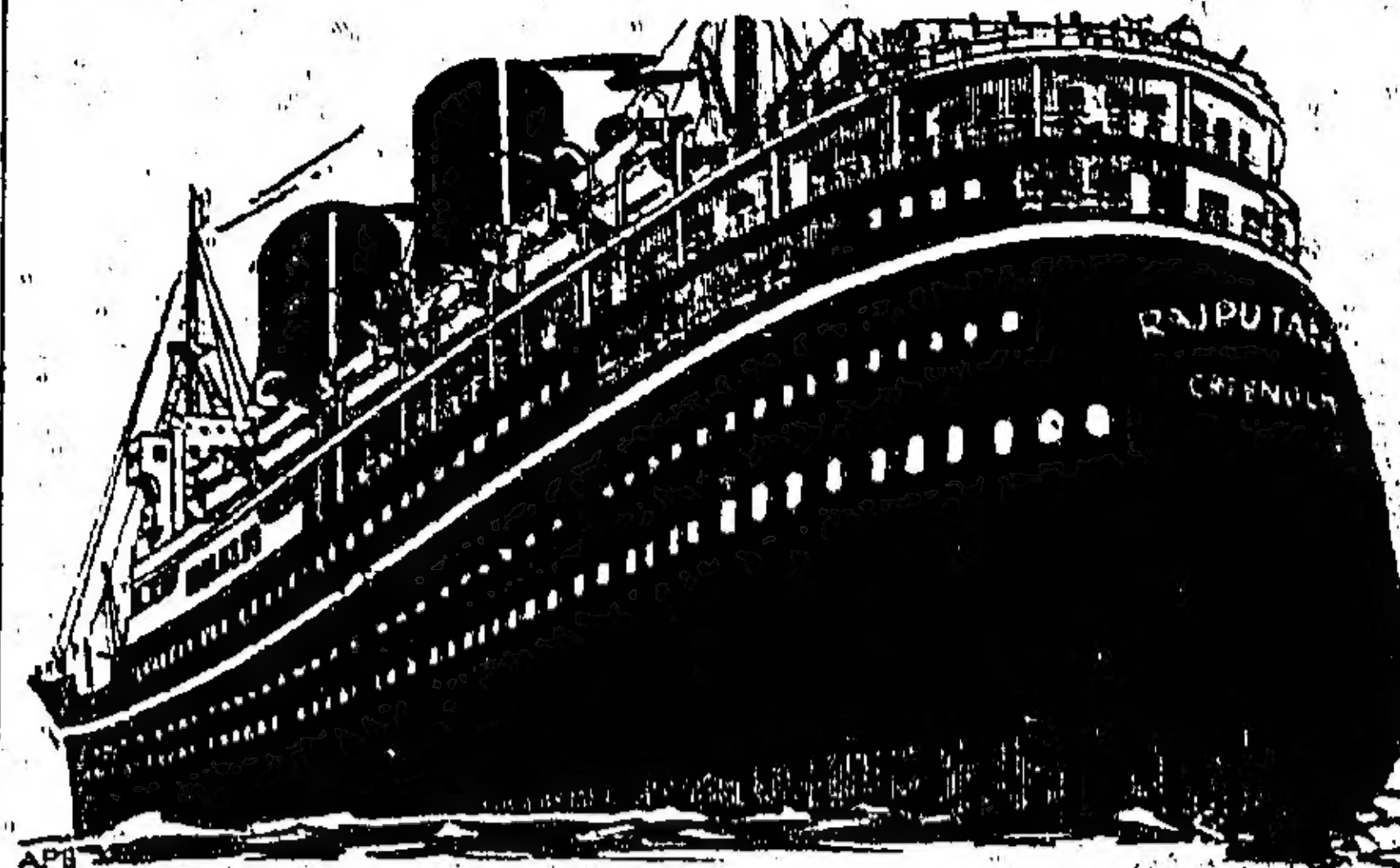
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*MINZAPORE	6,000	17th Nov.	Straits, Colombo, Bombay & Karachi.
*RAWALPINDI	17,000	26th Nov.	B'ham, Marseilles and London.
*SOMALI	6,000	3rd Dec.	B'ham, Harb., Havre, L'don.
*CANTON	15,500	10th Dec.	Hull, B'ham, R'dam, & A'werp.
*CORFU	14,500	24th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	31st Dec.	B'ham, Harb., Havre, L'don.
*HITRAL	17,000	7th Jan.	Hull, B'ham, R'dam, & A'werp.
*BARTHA	14,500	21st Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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TALAMBA	10,000	17th Dec.	
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EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

NELLORE	7,000	4th Nov. 11 a.m.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
TANDA	7,000	2nd Dec.	
NANKIN	7,000	31st Dec.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

SANTHIA	8,000	9th Nov.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
CANTON	15,000	11th Nov.	
TALAMBA	10,000	23rd Nov.	
CORFU	14,500	24th Nov.	
*BANGALORE	6,000	26th Nov.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	28th Nov.	
TALMA	10,000	4th Dec.	
CHITRAL	17,000	7th Dec.	
SIRDHANA	8,000	21st Dec.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
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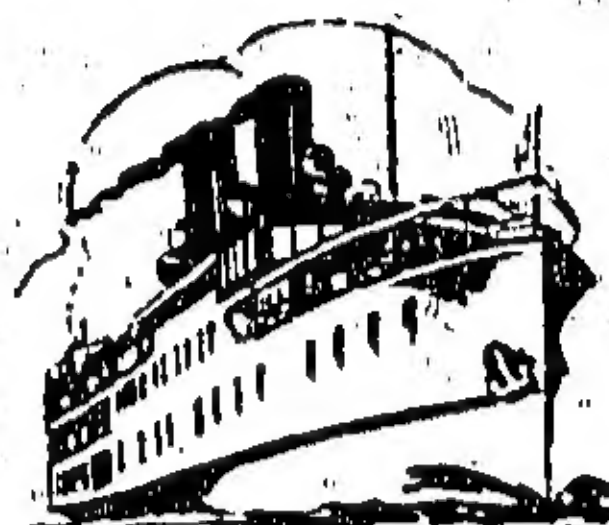
From Hong Kong: 8 A.M. & 3.30 P.M.
From Macao: 2.0 P.M. & 3.00 A.M.

NOTE.—In compliance with the Quarantine Regulations and until further notice, the ordinary Sunday excursion steamer to Macao will leave Hong Kong at 9 a.m. and return from Macao at 2.00 p.m.

SPECIAL RACE RIGGING EXCURSION TO MACAO
SATURDAY, 12th November, 1938.
S.S. "TAISHAN"

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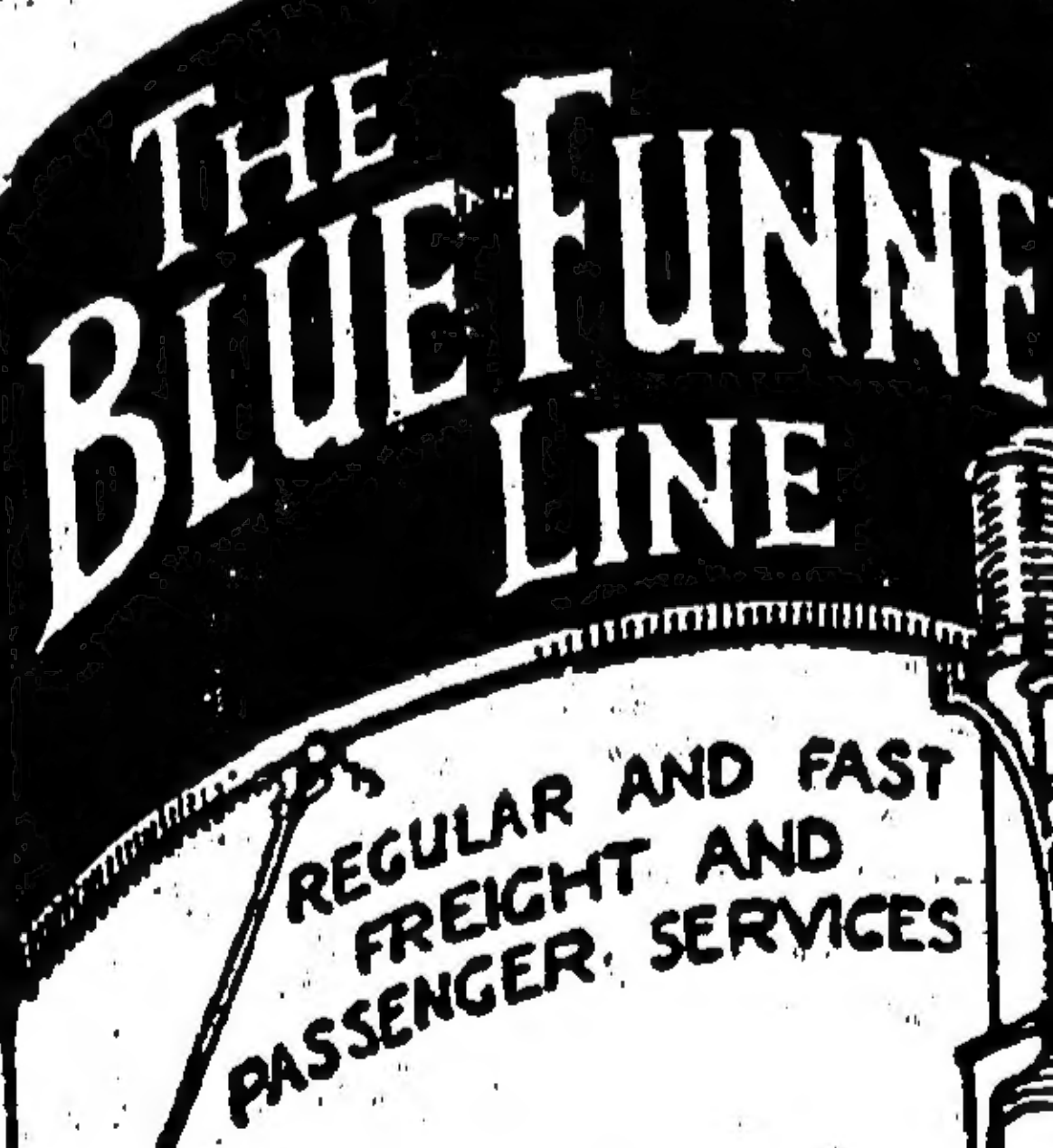


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SESSIONS TRIAL FOR GUNNERS

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a carpenter employed by the Leung Fat Lee Contractors, at present working at Mount Davis Fort.

ROBBED OF MONEY

About 9 p.m. on October 10 Leung was walking along Kennedy Town Praya when he was suddenly seized from behind. Turning round, he received a blow which was alleged to have been struck by second defendant. First defendant was alleged to have searched him and taken \$6 from a purse.

After the men had run away he went back to his contractors' shed and told them what had happened and a report was eventually made to the police.

On the following day an identification parade was held at Mount Davis Fort, at which all the men were mustered. First defendant was picked out but not second defendant. Following inquiries, the second man was arrested later the same evening.

It was alleged that second defendant spoke to Gunner Baxter earlier on the day of his arrest and told him he had held up a Chinese male. It was further alleged that he told Gunner Toovey the same.

CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE

Evidence of preparing plans of the locality was given by Mr. G. H. Gandy of the Public Works Department. Leung Ting gave testimony corroborating the Crown's opening. Mr. H. W. E. Heath, Assistant Superintendent of Police, testified to the identification parade.

Five men of the Royal Artillery gave evidence, and Sergeant Allen concluded the Crown's case by testifying to the arrest of the defendants.

Having been cautioned, Phelan was asked if he wished to say anything.

Defendant: No Sir.

His Worship: You have nothing to say, or you wish to reserve your defence? Nothing, Sir.

Your wish me to put down I have nothing to say?—No, Sir.

I am guilty of the charge. You wish me to put that down?—Yes, Sir.

Second defendant said he had nothing to say.

SENIOR LEAGUE TEAMS

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match and had 25 goals registered against them.

It was the first game played on the new ground at Boundary Road and the Police certainly christened it in bright manner with a four-all victory over the Saints. In the course of the game, J. Pereira, of St. Joseph's, had the misfortune to fall when heading the ball and, believe, fractured his arm.

To-morrow's programme is interesting.

The big match is at Sookunpoo where Middlesex, who had a "rest" last week-end meet South China "B" at 4.15 p.m. The soldiers should take the points although a close match is indicated.

The Royal Scots travel to Caroline Hill where they will be opposed to St. Joseph's and will probably drive home the issue with an odd-goal. The Saints, who have done rather well this season, suffered a bad reverse at the hands of the custodians of the law last week.

The railway ground will be the venue for the meeting between Kowloon and the Police and here another close game should be seen.

The Police, with new blood among their numbers, will be a force to contend with but I think Kowloon will take full points and will probably field the same team that beat South China "B".

Much interest will centre on the Club v. Kwong Wah encounter at Happy Valley and in view of the Valley team's big win last Saturday against the Royal Scots indications point to a win for them although Kwong Wah will give the Club a very good run. Much will depend on whether Fowler, leader of the Club attack, will again strike form as deedly as last Saturday.

On the same ground on Sunday, Navy will come up against Eastern. The sailors, who lost their proud 100 per cent record to South China "A" after a thrilling match at Caroline Hill last Saturday, will probably beat Eastern providing they return to their short-passing tactics which was mainly instrumental for the Navy's defeat of South China "A" at Causeway Bay a few weeks ago.

League Tables As They Stand To-day

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Below will be found the League tables, brought up to date, of the Home football competitions. Latest standings are as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION												
HOME						AWAY						
TEAMS	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	Ttl.	Goals	Ttl.
Derby	13	5	1	7	16	4	1	1	2	9	9	20
Everton	12	6	—	17	3	12	3	—	3	9	11	6
Bolton	12	4	1	14	8	9	2	2	3	8	7	15
Liverpool	12	6	1	16	5	13	—	2	3	6	10	2
Charlton	12	4	2	14	8	10	2	1	3	6	9	15
Middlesbro'	12	4	2	14	7	10	2	—	3	8	12	4
Leeds U.	12	4	1	16	7	9	2	1	3	4	11	5
Sunderland	12	—	3	2	4	6	3	5	—	2	10	6
Blackpool	12	3	1	2	15	10	7	1	3	2	5	8
Arsenal	12	3	1	2	7	4	7	1	3	2	5	7
Portsmouth	12	5	—	1	10	4	10	—	2	4	6	15
Leicester	13	3	3	1	11	8	9	1	4	5	5	3
Preston N.E.	12	3	3	—	10	5	9	1	—	5	7	12
Aston Villa	12	2	3	—	8	6	4	2	3	2	8	11
Chelsea	12	3	2	1	13	8	8	1	1	4	6	14
Grimsby	12	3	2	1	6	4	8	1	1	4	6	13
Stoke	12	2	2	2	10	10	6	1	3	2	8	14
Wolves	12	1	3	1	8	4	5	8	—	1	4	7
Huddersfield	13	3	2	2	10	5	8	—	—	1	5	15
Manchester U.	12	2	2	2	11	7	6	—	—	2	4	12
Birmingham	13	3	—	4	11	10	6	—	—	2	4	15
Brentford	12	3	—	3	7	8	6	—	—	2	4	15

SECOND DIVISION												
HOME						AWAY						
TEAMS	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	Ttl.	Goals	Ttl.
Fulham	13	4	2	—	12	4	10	3	2	2	9	7
Newcastle	13	7	—	—	21	5	14	—	2	4	4	10
Blackburn	13	4	1	1	17	9	9	3	1	3	12	12
West Brom'	13	6	—	1	22	11	12	2	—	4	10	14
Millwall	12	4	2	—	14	4	10	2	1	3	11	8
Tottenham	12	5	2	—	15	8	12	1	1	3	7	10
Wednesday	12	4	2	—	13	4	10	1	2	3	11	15
Sheffield U.	12	2	3	1	6	2	7	3	1	2	12	11
Plymouth	12	4	2	—	10	2	10	1	1	4	6	11
Bradford	12	3	2	1	13	10	8	2	1	3	7	11
Luton	12	3	3	—	9	5	9	2	—	4	8	14
Burnley	13	5	—	2	12	10	10	—	—	3	4	8
Bury	12	3	1	2	11	8	7	1	3	2	4	8
Coventry	12	4	2	—	8	1	10	—	2	4	5	14
West Ham	13	3	1	2	19	10	7	1	2	4	9	12
Southampton	12	4	1	1	14	10	9	—	—	1	5	14
Notts F.	12	3	1	2	7	5	7	—	2	4	5	14
Chesham	12	2	—	2	6	6	1	1	5	4	12	3
Manchester C.	12	2	—	4	15	19	4	1	2	3	10	4
Norwich	12	4	—	3	14	10	8	—	—	5	2	13
Swansea	12	—	4	1	8	9	4	1	2	4	6	20
Tranmere	12	3	1	2	9	4	7	—	—	6	5	22

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)												
HOME						AWAY						
TEAMS	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F.A. Pts.	Ttl.	Goals	Ttl.
Barnsley	13	5	1	—	18	5	11	4	1	2	11	9
Southport	12	4	2	—	16	3	10	3	2	1	12	7
Crewe	13	6	—	—	18	5	12	3	—	4	11	6
Oldham	13	4	—	2	12	9	8	4	1	2	13	8
Chester	12	4	2	1	20	12	10	3	—	2	1	7
Doncaster	13	4	2	1	21	8	9	2	2	1	8	7
Hull	13	4	1	1	11	6	9	3	1	3	7	9
N. Brighton	12	5	1	—	21	7	11	—	3	3	12	17
Stockport	13	6	—	2	18	8	12	—	—	3	6	12
Bradford C.	13	6	—	1	19	7	11	—	—	5	5	16
Barrow	13	5	1	—	23	5	10	1	—	5	3	17
Rotherham	13	5	—	2	23	10	1	—	—	5	2	11
Hullfax	13	3	4	—	10	6	10	1	—	5	2	11
York	13	3	1	2	9	5	7	1	2	3	9	14
Gateshead	12	2	2	1	11	5	6	1	2	4	11	17
Carlisle	12	3	1	2	11	9	7	1	1	4	7	18
Wrexham	13	5	—	2	13	8	10	—	—	6	1	16
Darlington	13	4	—	1	11	5	8	—	—	1	7	30
Rochdale	13	3	2	2	19	11	8	—	—	6	5	22
Hartlepool	13	3	2	1	21	9	5	1	1	8	4	19
Lincoln	13	2	2	3	9	13	6	—	2	4	8	20
Accrington	13	3	—	2	4	7	14	2	1	—	6	16

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)													
TEAMS	HOME					AWAY							
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F. A. Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F. A. Pts.	Ttl.	Goals	Ttl.	
Newport	13	4	2	—	8	1	10	3	2	2	11	7	8
Aldershot	13	4	1	1	7	2	9	2	4	1	10	6	8
Crystal Palace	12	4	1	—	10	3	9	3	2	2	7	8	8
Queen's Park R.	12	3	2	1	14	5	8	3	1	2	12	11	7
Reading	13	3	2	1	15	9	8	2	3	2	8	9	7
Swindon	12	4	1	1	13	5	9	2	1	3	8	9	5
Brighton	13	5	1	1	17	8	11	1	1	4	5	13	3
Northampton	12	5	1	—	13	4	11	1	1	4	4	13	3
Port Vale	12	5	—	1	15	5	10	1	1	4	6	12	3
Bournemouth	12	2	4	1	9	8	8	2	1	2	4	4	5
Exeter	12	3	1	2	9	6	7	2	2	2	6	14	6
Southend	12	4	2	1	13	6	10	1	—	4	8	12	3
Mansfield	12	4	3	—	12	7	9	1	1	4	3	13	7
Notts C.	12	4	1	1	12	4	9	—	2	4	6	12	2
Cardiff	12	3	—	3	10	8	6	1	3	3	2	6	9
Bristol C.	12	3	—	2	10	8	6	1	3	3	8	13	7
Watford	13	3	3	—	10	5	9	—	2	5	—	11	—
Bristol R.	13	2	4	2	10	7	8	—	2	3	3	6	6
Clapton O.	12	2	3	1	9	5	7	1	1	4	6	13	3
Torquay	12	1	1	4	7	11	3	2	2	2	7	7	11
Ipswich	12	2	1	3	7	10	5	1	—	5	3	9	9
Walsall	12	—	2	4	5	9	2	—	1	5	5	18	—